PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD, AND SALT IN THE DISTRICTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 15TH JANUARY 1894.

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PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood and Salt in the

RETAIL SALE:—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY

	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice, best sort.			Rice, common.			Bulrush Millet—Cumboo, Bajra.			Great Millet—Cholum, Jowar.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
	A																	
...	15 8	15 4	15 0	25 0	20 0	30 0	14 0	12 0	24 8	17 0	18 0	28 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	B																	
...	15 0	15 0	13 12	16 0	16 0	15 0	15 8	15 8	21 0	18 12	18 12	27 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	C																	
	15 0	15 0	13 0	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	18 0	17 4	17 4	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	D																	
	12 0	12 0	12 0	15 0	15 0	16 0	14 0	14 8	20 0	18 0	18 0	27 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	E																	
	14 0	14 0	15 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	10 0	13 0	13 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
..	13 4	13 8	13 4	...	...	...	11 8	12 8	16 0	13 4	14 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
ts.																		
...	12 8	12 8	14 0	19 8	19 8	24 11	7 0	7 0	10 0	11 0	11 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	15 5	20 0	20 0	24 0
	F																	
nahs ..	13 5	13 5	11 8	16 0	16 0	20 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	16 0	14 0	17 8	...	...	...	...	...	16 0
	G																	
...	16 12	16 0	16 0	24 8	24 8	26 0	13 5½	13 5½	18 12	15 4	15 4	21 5½	...	...	...	...	...	...
	H																	
a ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	13 0	18 0	16 0	15 0	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	I																	
re ...	14 8	14 0	13 4	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	20 0	16 0	16 0	26 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	J																	
orshedabad..	16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	14 0	14 4	20 0	16 0	17 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
inagepore ..	16 0	16 0	13 4	14 8	15 0	13 5	13 4	13 4	19 4	16 0	16 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	K																	
Rajshahye ...	16 0 to 17 4	16 0 to 17 4	16 0	24 0	24 0	40 0	10 14	10 14	15 0 to 19 8	13 2	13 2	22 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	L																	
Rungpore ...	10 0	10 0	16 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	13 5	13 5	13 5	23 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
4 Bogra ...	15 12	15 0	12 0	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	12 0	16 8	16 8	28 2	...	...	...	...	...	...
	M																	
5 Pubna ...	18 0	18 0	18 0	...	...	...	8 8	8 0	10 0	14 4	15 0	24 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
Darjeeling ...	8 0	7 0	8 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	6 0	5 0	5 0	11 0	10 0	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	N																	
17 Julpigoree ...	10 0	10 0	11 4	20 0	20 0	20 0	13 0	12 0	16 0	16 0	19 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
Eastern Districts.																		
	O																	
Dacca ...	15 0	15 0	14 4	16 12	15 4	30 0	12 8	12 4	18 4	15 0	14 0	27 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	P																	
Furreedpore ...	22 0	22 0	20 0	30 0	30 0	35 0	14 0	14 0	20 0	15 0	16 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Q																	
hergunge ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	18 0	16 0	16 0	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	R																	
singh ...	13 8	13 8	12 4	...	...	...	10 0	9 0	21 0	16 0	15 0	26 10	...	...	...	...	...	...

seers, and Rancegunge 13 seers.

Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 15th January 1884.

SALT			WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF 40 SEERS.			AVERAGE WAGES PER MONTH.									DISTRICTS.
			SALT.			ABLE-BODIED AGRICULTURAL LABOURER.			SYCE OR HORSE-KEEPER.			COMMON MASON CARPENTER, OR BLACKSMITH.			
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
															BENGAL.
															Western Districts.
S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A. P	Rs A	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs A.	
13 11	13 5	13 12	2 13 6	2 14 9	2 14 0	9 6	7 8	9 6	6 8	6 8	6 8	10 0 to 15 0	10 0 to 14 0	10 0 to 15 0	Burdwan.
12 0	12 0	13 4	3 3 6	3 3 6	2 15 0	6 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 9 0	6 0 to 9 0	4 8 to 7 8	4 8 to 6 8	4 8 to 6 8	7 8 to 15 0	7 8 to 12 0	7 8 to 12 0	Bankoora.
12 12	12 0	12 0	3 2 6	3 2 6	3 4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	9 0	10 0	9 0	Beerbhoom.
12 12	12 8	13 8	.....	2 14 0	2 14 0	6 0	6-1 6	5 10	5 8	6 0	5 8	7 8 to 10 0	7 8 to 10 0	7 8	Midnapore.
13 9	13 9	13 9	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	8 0	6 0 to 7 8	6 0	7 0	..	5 0 to 6 0	10 0 to 20 0	10 0 to 20 0	10 0 to 25 0	Hooghly.
13 0	13 0	13 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 13 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	14 0	14 0	14 0	Howrah
															Central Districts.
11 0	11 0	11 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 10 0	15 0	15 0	15 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	12 0 to 20 0	12 0 to 20 0	12 0	Calcutta.
12 13	12 13	13 5	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	15 0 to 20 0	15 0 to 20 0	16 0	24-Pergunnahs.
11 10½	11 10½	12 13	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	7 8 to 15 0	7 8 to 15 0	7 8 to 15 0	Nuddea.
10 8	10 8	11 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 2 0	9 0 to 11 0	9 0 to 12 0	9 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 8 0	6 0 to 9 0	5 0 to 7 0	10 0 to 16 0	10 0 to 15 0	10 0 to 15 0	Khoolna.
10 12	10 12	11 8	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 0 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	0	6 0	6 0	15 0	13 0 to 15 0	10 0 to 15 0	Jessore.
10 10	10 1	12 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	Moorshedabad
12 0	12 0	11 8	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 6 0	6 0 to 7 8	6 0 to 7 0	6 0 to 7 8	6 0 to 8 0	5 0 to 8 0	5 0 to 8 0	8 0 to 20 0	8 0 to 20 0	8 0 to 20 0	Dinagepore.
12 0	12 0	12 0	3 2 6	3 2 6	3 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	5 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0	5 0 to 7 0	10 0 to 14 0	7 0 to 15 0	12 0 to 20 0	Rajshahye
11 14	11 14	11 14	3 5 0	3 5 0	3 5 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 0 to 7 0	6 0	6 0	12 0 to 15 0	12 0 to 15 0	12 0 to 15 0	Rungpore.
12 0	12 0	12 0	3 2 8	3 2 8	3 2 8	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	6 0	5 0 to 7 0	6 0	6 0	10 0 to 15 0	10 0 to 15 0	12 0 to 18 0	Bogra
12 6	12 6	12 6	3 2 6	3 2 0	3 4 0	7 8	6 0 to 7 0	5 0	5 0 to 6 0	6 0 to 7 8	5 0 to 6 0	10 0 to 20 0	11 0 to 20 0	10 0 to 20 0	Pubna.
8 0	8 0	8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 4 0	7 0	7 8	7 0 to 8 0	7 0 to 9 0	7 0 to 8 0	8 0	15 0 to 25 0	18 0 to 30 0	17 0 to 20 0	Darjeeling
12 4	12 4	10 12	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	7 8	7 8	8 0	8 0	7 0	8 0	20 0 to 30 0	15 0 to 20 0	25 0 to 30 0	Julpigoree.
															Eastern Districts.
12 10	12 10	12 4	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 8 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	8 0 to 25 0	8 0 to 20 0	8 0 to 20 0	Dacca
12 0	12 0	12 8	3 5 0	3 5 0	3 4 0	8 8	8 8	7 8	7 8	7 0	7 0	15 0	15 0	15 0	Furreedpore.
13 0	13 0	13 0	2 11 0	2 11 0	3 0 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	8 0 to 15 0	8 0 to 15 0	8 0 to 15 0	Backergunge
12 4	12 4	12 4	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	8 0 to 9 0	8 0 to 9 0	8 0 to 9 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	13 0 to 30 0	12 0 to 30 0	12 0 to 30 0	Mymensingh.

J In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Lalbagh 11 seers, Jungypore 12½ seers, and Kandi 12 seers.
K In the Nattore sub-division the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.
L In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kurigram 13 seers, and Nilphamari and Gaibanda 12 seers.
M In the Serajgunge sub-division the retail price of salt was 13 seers per rupee
N In the Alipore sub-division (at Fallacotta) the retail price of salt was 10 seers per rupee.
O In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Manickgunge 11 seers, Moonsheegunge 10 seers 10½ chittacks, and Naraingunge 1.½ seers.
P In the Goalundo and Madaripore sub-divisions the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.
Q In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Perozepore 11 seers, and Bhola 9 seers
R In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kishoreganje 10 seers 10 chittacks, Atia 12 seers, Jamalpore 11½ seers, and Netrokona 12 seers 5 chittacks.

RETAIL SALE :—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY THE

Number	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM, JOWAR.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	***Eastern Districts*—(Concluded.**	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
22	Chittagong ...	S 11 0	11 0	10 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	16 0	17 0	17 0	23 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
23	Noakholly ...	T ...	...	...	...	...		16 0	16 0	22 0	18 0	18 0	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
24	Tipperah ...	U 13 5	13 5	13 5	...	...	...	15 0	16 0	23 8	17 12	19 0	32 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
25	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	...	.	...	...	...	...	14 0	13 14	13 5	16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah	10 0	10 0	10 0	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	20 0	19 0	19 0	30 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	BEHAR																		
26	Patna ..	20 0	20 0	21 0	21 8	18 0	40 0	10 0	10 10	14 12	13 0	13 0	22 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
27	Gya ..	15 8	16 0	20 0	21 0	20 0	28 0	10 0	10 8	12 8	13 8	14 0	21 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
28	Shahabad ..	V 16 0 to 17 0	16 0 to 17 0	16 8 to 18 0	22 0	22 8	29 0	9 0	9 0	11 0 to 12 0	12 0 to 13 0	13 0 to 14 0	18 0 to 19 0	20 0	23 0	38 0	21 0	22 0	32 0
29	Durbhunga ...	W 13 0	14 0	14 0	18 0	22 0	40 0	9 0	11 0 (old rice.) 12 0 (new rice.)	15 0	13 0	12 5½ (old rice.) 14 0 (new rice.)	22 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
30	Mozufferpore ...	X 16 0	17 0	16 0	25 0	25 0	35 0	9 0	9 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	21 0	...	...	..	...	..	...
31	Sarun ...	Y 17 8	17 8	17 0	24 0	24 0	36 0	9 0	9 0	10 0	13 0	14 0	21 0	...	...	..	23 0	23 0	34 0
32	Chumparun ..	Z 17 0	17 0	...	...	...	30 0	10 0	10 0	16 0	15 8	15 12	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
33	Monghyr ...	Z1 17 13	17 13	22 5	21 0	21 0	42 0	12 9	11 9	17 13	13 10	13 10	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
34	Bhagulpore ...	Z2 16 6	16 6	17 11	22 1.	20 8	31 9	11 6 (old rice.) 12 10 (new rice.)	11 6 (old rice.) 13 4 (new rice.)	23 4	13 12 (old rice.) 14 8 (new rice.)	13 14	25 4	...	...	..	...	...	...
35	Purneah ...	Z3 15 0	14 0	16 0	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	22 0	16 0	16 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
36	Maldah ..	20 0	20 0	16 0	...	...	...	14 0	12 8	16 0	16 0	13 8	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
37	Sonthal Pergns.	Z4 16 0	14 0	14 0	...	...	...	14 0	13 0	19 0	17 0	16 0	27 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	ORISSA.																		
38	Cuttack ...	14 7	14 7	10 8	...	...	...	13 2	13 2	15 12	18 6†	21 0	26 4	..	...	...	...	...	...
39	Pooree ..	Z5 10 0	10 4	13 2	...	.	...	14 7	14 8	26 4	23 10	21 0	27 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
40	Balasore ...	Z6 14 0	14 0	14 0	...	...	...	16 0	13 0	14 0	21 8	21 0	27 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE *South-Western Frontier Agency*																		
41	Hazareebagh ...	Z7 15 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	21 0	9 0	9 0	10 0	15 8	15 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
42	Lohardugga ...	14 0	15 0	15 0	15 0	16 0	20 0	14 0	15 0	20 0	18 0	19 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
43	Singbhoom ..	16 0	16 0	18 0	24 0	24 0	28 0	24 0	22 0	36 0	28 0	28 0	40 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
44	Manbhoom ...	Z8 14 0	14 0	12 0	...	...	...	16 0	13 0	16 0	21 0	22 0	28 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

* Agricultural labourers are generally paid in kind. Ordinarily 2½ seers of dhan or murwa are given as daily wages.

† In the interior the retail price of common rice ranged from 24 to 32 seers per rupee.

S In the Cox's Bazar sub-division the retail price of salt was 10 seers per rupee.

T In the Feuny sub-division the retail price of salt was 9 seers per rupee.

U In the Brahmunberiah and Chandpore sub-divisions the retail price of salt was 12½ seers per rupee.

V In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Buxar 11½ seers, Sasseram 12 seers and Bhubbhua 11 seers.

W In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Madhoobani 11 seers and Tajpore 12 seers.

X In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Seetamurhee 11 seers, and Hajeepore 11½ seers.

Y In the Sewan sub-division the retail price of salt was [illegible] seers per rupee.

SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
C. Sh.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	
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...	...	...	...	...	
...	...	...	21 8	18 0	40 0
...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...
18 0	22 0	45 0	18 0	22 0	45 0
...	...	...	19 0	19 0	45 0
25 0	27 0	32 0	22 0	22 0	34 0
...	...	...	24 0	26 0	41 0
...	...	...	21 0	23 1	52 8
...	...	...	21 7	22 11	45 6
...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	21 8	21 0	60 0
15 12	15 12	13 2	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	...
21 0	20 0	33 0	18 0	18 0	27 0
30 0	30 0	36 0	22 0	24 0	30 0
...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...	64 0

Gram.			Firewood.		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
19 0	18 0	20 0	120 0	120 0	120 0
17 8	17 8	19 0	280 0	280 0	320 0
16 0	16 0	18 0	160 0	160 0	180 0
15 0	15 0	16 0	155 0	155 0	155 0
17 0	16 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0
15 0	16 12	19 8	90 0	80 0	80 0
12 0	12 0	21 5	90 0	90 0	90 0
16 0	16 0	18 12	80 0	80 0	00 0
16 12	16 0	21 5½	...	...	...
16 0	16 0	12 0	200 0	200 0	200 0
16 0	16 0	17 0	120 0	120 0	120 0
18 0	18 0	24 0	120 0	120 0	120 0
14 0	14 0	16 0	120 0	160 0	160 0
15 0 to 16 8	15 0 to 16 8	20 8	240 0	240 0	240 0
15 0	15 0	15 14	110 0	110 0	120 0
14 4	13 8	15 0	67 8	67 8	67 8
15 8	15 6	18 0	200 0	200 0	200 0
9 0	10 0	13 0	128 0	128 0	160 0
13 0	13 0	14 8	128 0	128 0	128 0
17 0	17 8	20 0	98 0	100 0	80 0
20 0	20 0	14 0	120 0	120 0	...
17 0	17 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0
16 0	16 0	18 0	...	...	...

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Gram.			Firewood.		
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
18 0	13 0	12 0	40 0	40 0	40 0
12 0	12 0	16 0	...	...	...
15 12	16 0	18 0	...	...	...
...	...	...	320 0	320 0	320 0
14 0	14 0	14 0	...	...	...
18 0	18 0	29 8	100 0	100 0	130 0
20 0	20 0	27 0	160 0	180 0	160 0
20 0	20 0	28 0 to 29 0	120 0	120 0	120 0
18 0	19 5½	22 0	160 0	160 0	160 0
18 0	19 0	25 0	140 0	140 0	140 0
20 0	20 0	28 8	160 0	160 0	160 0
21 0	23 0	22 0	...	...	...
21 0	21 0	27 13	126 0	126 0	126 0
21 7	20 13	26 8	157 13	151 8	126 4
17 0	16 0	20 0	160 0	160 0	160 0
16 0	16 0	20 0	160 0	160 0	120 0
17 0	16 0	22 0	200 0	200 0	200
22 5	21 0	23 10	80 0	80 0	80 0
19 11	19 1	21 0	100 0	100 0	125 0
18 0	18 0	16 0	110 0	160 0	120 0
18 0	16 8	22 0	240 0	240 0	240 0
14 0	14 0	15 0	100 0	100 0	120 0
18 0	16 0	24 0	160 0	160 0	80 0
15 12	15 4	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.		
Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	29 0	29 0	38 0
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...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	18 0	18 0	32 0
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13 0	13 0	8 0	19 0	19 0	24 0
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Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 15th January 1884 —(Concld.)

SALT.			WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF 40 SEERS.			AVERAGE WAGES PER MONTH.									DISTRICTS.
			SALT.			ABLE-BODIED AGRICULTURAL LABOURER.			SYCE OR HORSE-KEEPER.			COMMON MASON, CARPENTER, OR BLACKSMITH.			
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
															Eastern Districts.—(Concluded.)
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
11 0	11 0	10 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	.....	7 8 to 9 4	7 8 to 11 4	7 8 to 9 6	6 0 to 7 0	6 0 to 7 8	7 0 to 8 0	7 8 to 10 0	7 8 to 10 8	7 8 to 10 0	Chittagong.
10 0	10 0	10 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 2 0	7 0 to 8 0	7 0 to 8 0	7 to 8	5 0 to 7 0	5 0 to 7 0	8 0 to 7	7 0 to 20 0	7 0 to 20 0	7 0 to 20 0	Noakholly.
12 0	12 0	12 4	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	6 0 to 8 0	6 0 to 9 0	6 0 to 9 0	5 0 to 7 0	5 0 to 7 0	5 0 to 7 0	6 0 to 15 0	7 0 to 16 0	7 0 to 16 0	Tipperah.
8 0	8 0	8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	10 0	8 8	7 8	..	...	...	...	...	...	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 0	6 0	6 8	14 0	13 0	14 0	Hill Tipperah.
															BEHAR.
10 10	10 10	10 8	3 1 0	3 1 0	3 0 0	3 0 to 4 0	3 0 to 4 0	3 0 to 4 0	4 0 to 5 8	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	5 10 to 8 0	5 10 to 8 0	5 0 to 8 0	Patna.
11 0	11 0	12 0	3 4 0	3 5 0	3 4 0	2 8 to 3 0	2 8 to 3 0	2 8 to 3 0	3 0 to 5 0	3 0 to 5 0	3 0 to 5 0	6 0 to 8 0	6 0 to 8 0	6 0 to 8 0	Gya.
12 8	12 8	12 8	3 1 0	3 1 0	3 1 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	6 0 to 7 8	6 0 to 7 8	6 0 to 7 8	Shahabad.
12 6	12 6	13 0	3 1 6	3 1 6	3 10 0	2 13 to 3 12	3 0 to 5 0	3 8 to 4 0	2 8 to 4 0	3 8 to 5 0	3 0 to 5 0	5 10 to 7 8	4 8 to 10 0	5 8 to 7 8	Durbhunga.
12 8	12 0	12 0	.....	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 0 to 5 0	3 0 to 5 0	2 0 to 3 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	5 0 to 8 0	5 0 to 8 0	5 0 to 6 0	Muzufferpore.
12 0	11 0	12 0	3 3 0	3 4 0	3 3 0	5 10 to 7 8	4 12 to 7 8	3 12 to 5 10	4 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 6 0	6 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 10 0	Sarun.
12 0	12 8	10 8	3 4 4	3 2 0	3 5 0	5 12	6 0	5 10	4 0	4 0	4 0	8 0	6 0	8 0	Chumparun.
12 1	12 1	12 13	3 2 5	3 2 5	3 1 0	3 12	3 12	3 12	4 0	4 0	4 0	5 10 to 7 8	5 10 to 7 8	5 10 to 7 8	Monghyr.
12 10	12 10	12 10	2 15 0	3 0 0	3 2 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	6 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 10 0	Bhagulpore.
10 0	10 8	11 0	3 10 3	3 10 3	3 10 0	4 11 to 5 10	4 11 to 5 10	4 11 to 5 10	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	7 0 to 16 0	7 0 to 16 0	7 0 to 16 0	Purneah.
11 0	0	12 0	3 6 6	3 4 0	3 1 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	5 0	5 0	5 0	7 8 to 13 2	7 8 to 15 0	7 8 to 15 0	Maldah.
12 0	12 0	11 8	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 4 6	3 12	3 12 to 4 0	3 12	5 0	5 0	5 0	7 8 to 9 0	7 8 to 11 4	7 8 to 9 6	Southal Pergns.
															*ORISSA.
14 0	14 0	14 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	5 10	5 10	5 10	4 0	4 0	4 0	7 8 to 10 0	7 8 to 10 0	7 8 to 10 0	Cuttack.
13 3	13 3	...	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	8 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 10 0	Pooree.
9 0	9 0	12 3	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 2 0	5 10	5 10	5 10	6 0	6 0	6 0	7 8 to 9 0	7 8 to 9 0	7 8 to 9 0	Balasore.
															CHOTA NAGPORE.
															South-Western Frontier Agency.
10 0	11 0	11 0	3 9 7	3 7 3	3 7 6	4 8	5 0	4 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Hazareebagh.
11 0	10 0	10 0	3 6 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 0 to 4 8	3 0 to 4 8	3 0 to 4 8	3 8 to 5 0	3 8 to 5 0	3 8 to 5 0	6 0 to 12 0	6 0 to 12 0	6 0 to 12 0	Lohardugga.
8 0	8 0	9 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 0	3 0	3 0	4 8	4 8	4 8	5 0 to 12 0	5 0 to 12 0	5 0 to 12 0	Singhoom.
10 0	10 0	10 8	3 5 0	3 5 0	3 4 0	4 11	4 11	3 12	4 0	4 0	4 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	Manbhoom.

Z *In the Bettiah sub-division the retail price of salt was 11 seers per rupee.
Z1 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Begusorai 11 seers, and Jamui 12 5/8 seers.
Z2 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Banka and Soopole 11 seers, and Muddehpoorah 10½ seers.
Z3 In the Arrareah sub-division (at Ranigunge) the retail price of salt was 11 seers per rupee.
Z4 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Rajmehal 13 seers, Godda 11 seers.
Z5 In the Khoorda sub-division the retail price of salt was 14 seers per rupee.
Z6. In the Bhuddruck sub-division the retail price of salt was 8 seers per rupee.
Z7 The retail price of salt at (Kharagdiha) in the Giridih sub-division was 11½ seers per rupee.
Z8 In the Govindpore sub-division the retail price of salt was 11 seers per rupee.

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PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD, AND SALT IN THE DISTRICTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 31st JANUARY 1884.

PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood and Salt in the

RETAIL SALE:—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM, JOWAR.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL																		
	Western Districts.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
1	Burdwan ...	A 15 9	15 8	13 12	22 0	25 0	30 0	12 12	14 0	26 4	14 4	17 0	30 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
2	Bankoora ...	B 15 0	15 0	14 8	16 0	16 0	16 0	15 8	15 8	20 0	18 12	18 12	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	Beerbhoom ...	C 15 0	15 0	14 0	...	...	...	13 8	15 0	18 0	15 4	17 4	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
4	Midnapore* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5	Hooghly ...	D 14 0	14 0	15 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	10 0	13 0	13 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Howrah ..	13 0	13 4	13 0	...	...	...	11 8	11	16 0	13 4	13 4	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Central Districts.																		
	Calcutta ...	15 0	12 8	14 0	18 0	19 8	24 11	7 0	7 0	10 0	11 0	11 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	17 0	19 8	20 0	29 8
6	24-Pergunnahs ..	D1 13 5	13 5	13 0	17 8	16 0	20 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	...	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	17 8
7	Nuddea ...	E 16 0	16 12	16 0	24 8	24 8	26 0	12 6	13 5½	18 12	13 5½	15 4	21 5½	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Khoolna ..	F ...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	14 0	18 0	16 0	16 0	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Jessore ...	G 14 8	14 8	13 0	...	...	...	13 12	12 0	20 0	16 8	16 0	25 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
10	Moorshedabad ...	G1 16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	13 0	14 0	17 0	16 0	16 0	23 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
11	Dinagepore	16 0	16 0	13 2	15 0	14 8	13 8	13 4	13 4	17 0	16 0	16 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
12	Rajshahye ..	H 16 8 to 17 4	16 0 to 17 4	16 8	24 0	24 0	32 0	10 8	10 14	18 12	15 0	13 2	21 0 to 22 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
13	Rungpore ..	I 10 0	10 0	16 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	13 5	13 5	13 5	23 0		...	...	...	...	...
14	Bogra ..	15 0	15 12	11 4	..	...	..	10 8	9 12	12 0	16 8	16 8	30 0		...	...	...	...	...
15	Pubna ..	J 18 0	18 0	18 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 6	10 0	14 4	14 4	24 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
16	Darjeeling ...	9 0	8 0	8 0	10 0	7 0	8 0	5 8	6 0	5 0	11 0	11 0	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
17	Julpigore .	K 10 0	10 0	11 8	20 0	20 0	20 0	13 0	13 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	20 0	...	...		...	...	...
	Eastern Districts.																		
18	Dacca* ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...
19	Furreedpore ...	L 22 0	22 0	20 0	30 0	30 0	35 0	14 0	14 0	20 0	15 0	15 0	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
20	Backergunge ..	M ..	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	13 0	18 0	18 0	16 0	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
21	Mymensingh ...	N 13 4	13 8	13 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	20 0	16 0	16 0	27 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

A In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Culna 14 seers, Cutwa 13 seers 10 chittacks, and Ranegunge 13½ seers.
B In the Bishenpore sub-division the retail price of salt was 13 seers per rupee.
C In the Rampore Haut sub-division the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.
D In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Serampore 13 seers, and Johannabad 13½ seers.
D1 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Baraset and Bissirhat 13 seers, Diamond Harbour 11 seers, Barrackpore 12½ seers, and Dum-Dum 12 seers.
K In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kooshtea 13 seers, Meherpore and Chooadanga 11½ seers, and Ranaghat 12½ seers.
F In the Satkhira, and Bagirhat sub-divisions the retail price of salt was 11 seers per rupee.
G In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Jhenida, Magura and Narail 12 seers, and Bonkong 13 seers

Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 31st January 1884.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt			Wholesale Prices per maund of 40 seers Salt.			DISTRICTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		BENGAL.
																		Western Districts.
S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch	S Ch	S. Ch.	S Ch	S Ch	S Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 12	19 0	22 8	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 5	13 11	13 5	2 15	2-13 6	3 0	Burdwan.
...	...	..	29 0	29 0	28 0	17 8	17 8	19 0	280 0	280 0	320 0	12 0	12 0	13 4	3-3-6	3-3-6	2-15-11	Bankoora.
...	...	...	...	...	.	17 0	16 0	19 0	160 0	160 0	180 0	12 0	12 12	12 0	3-2-6	3-2-6	3 4	Beerbhoom.
...	..	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	..	Midnapore.
...	...	...	...	...	..	17 0	17 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 9	13 9	13 9	2 14	2 14	2 14	Hooghly.
...	...	..	...	...	...	16 0	15 0	19 8	90 0	90 0	80 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	3 0	3 0	2 13	Howrah.
																		Central Districts
...	...	...	19 8	18 0	29 3	17 0	12 0	21 5	90 0	90 0	90 0	13 0	11 0	14 9	2 12	2 13	2 10	Calcutta.
...	...	...	17 8	16 0	35 0	16 12	16 0	18 8	90 0	80 0	90 0	12 13	12 13	13 5	3 0	3 0	3 0	24-Pergunnahs.
...	...	...	..	...	...	17 4	16 12	21 5½	...	...	...	11 10½	11 10½	11 10½	3 0	3 0	3 0	Nuddea.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	14 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	10 8	10 8	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 2	Khoolna.
...	..	..	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	17 8	120 0	120 0	120 0	10 12	10 12	11 8	3 2	3 2	3 0	Jessore
...	.	..	...	...	..	18 0	18 0	23 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	11 9	10 10	12 8	3 0	3 2	3 2	Moorshedabad
...	...	..	...	...	...	13 0	14 0	16 0	120 0	120 0	160 0	12 0	12 0	11 8	3 4	3 4	3 6	Dinagepore.
...	...	..	...	...	...	16 0 to 17 4	15 0 to 16 8	32 8	240 0	240 0	240 0	12 0	12 0	12 14	3-2-6	3-2 6	3 2	Rajshahye
...	..	...	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	15 14	110 0	110 0	120 0	11 14	11 14	11 14	...	3 5	3 5	Rungpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	14 4	14 1	67 8	67 8	67 8	12 0	12 0	12 0	3-2-8	3-2-8	3-2-8	Bogra
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 8	15 8	18 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	12 6	12 6	...	3-2 6	3-2-6	3-1-3	Pubna
10 0	13 0	8 0	20 0	19 0	24 0	8 0	9 0	11 0	128 0	128 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 8	4 8	4 8	Darjeeling
.	...	.	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	14 8	128 0	128 0	128 0	12 4	12 4	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Julpigoree.
																		Eastern Districts
...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	Dacca
...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	20 0	14 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	12 0	12 0	12 8	3 5	3 5	3 2	Furreedpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	2 11	2 11	3 0	Backergunge
...	..	...	...	...	..	13 4	16 0	19 0	...	..	.	12 4	12 4	12 4	3 4	3 4	3 4	Mymensingh

G1 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Lalbagh 11 seers, Jungypore 12½ seers, and Kandi 12 seers.
H In the Nattore and Nowgong sub-divisions the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.
I In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kungrain 13 seers, and Nilphamari and Gaibanda 12 seers.
J In the Serajgunge sub-division the retail price of salt was 12½ seers per rupee.
K The retail price of salt at Fallacotta in the Alipore sub-division was 10 seers per rupee.
L In the Goalundo and Madaripore sub-divisions the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.
M In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Patuakhali 10 seers 10 chittacks, Perozepore 11 seers, and Bhola 9 seers.
N In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Jamalpore 11½ seers, and Netrokona 12 seers 5 chittacks.

Number.	DISTRICTS.	RETAIL SALE—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY THE																					
		WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			HULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM, JOWAR.						
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.				
	***Eastern Districts.*—(Concluded.)**	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
22	Chittagong ...	O 13 0	11 0	10 0	...	...	...	13 0	12 0	16 0	18 0	17 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
23	Noakholly ...	P ...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	16 0	22 0	17 0	18 0	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
24	Tipperah ...	Q 13 5	13 5	13 5	...	...	...	14 12	15 0	21 0	16 4	17 12	31 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
25	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 5	14 0	14 8	16 0	16 0	17 4	...	...	...	...	...	...				
	Hill Tipperah	10 0	10 0	10 0	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	22 0	20 0	19 0	32 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
	BEHAR.																						
26	Patna ...	20 0	20 0	21 0	22 0	21 8	40 0	10 10	10 0	14 12	13 0	13 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
27	Gya ...	R 16 8	15 8	20 0	21 0	21 0	24 0	10 0	10 0	12 8	13 0	13 8	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
28	Shahabad* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
29	Durbhunga* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
30	Muzufferpore ...	S 18 0	16 0	15 0	25 0	25 0	35 0	10 0	9 0	12 0	13 8	12 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
31	Sarun ...	T 18 0	17 8	17 0	24 0	24 0	30 0	9 0	9 0	10 0	13 0	13 0	21 0	...	...	...	23 0	23 0	32 0				
32	Chumparun* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
33	Monghyr ...	U 17 13	17 13	21 0	21 0	21 0	33 9	13 1	13 9	16 13	13 10	13 10	19 15	...	...	...	...	...	...				
34	Bhagulpore ...	V 16 6	16 6	17 11	20 3	22 11	37 14	10 11 (old rice.) 13 0 (new rice.)	11 6 (old rice.) 13 10 (new rice.)	19 8	12 10 (old rice.) 13 14 (new rice.)	13 12 (old rice.) 14 8 (new rice.)	20 13	...	...	...	...	...	...				
35	Purneah ...	W 18 0	15 0	16 0	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	22 0	16 0	16 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
36	Maldah ...	20 0	20 0	16 0	...	...	...	11 0	14 0	16 0	14 0	16 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
37	Sonthal Pergha.	X 17 0	16 0	15 0	...	...	...	14 4	14 0	16 0	17 0†	17 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
	ORISSA.																						
38	Cuttack ...	14 7	14 7	11 13	...	...	...	13 2	13 2	15 12	19 0†	18 6	23 14	...	...	...	...	...	...				
39	Pooree* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
40	Balasore* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
	CHOTA NAGPORE.																						
	South-Western Frontier Agency.																						
41	Hazareebagh ...	Y 14 0	15 0	16 8	...	...	24 0	9 0	9 0	11 0	15 0	15 8	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
42	Lohardugga ...	14 0	14 0	13 0	15 0	15 0	18 0	16 0	14 0	20 0	20 0	18 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
43	Singbhoom ...	16 0	16 0	18 0	24 0	24 0	28 0	20 0	24 0	28 0	24 0	28 0	32 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
44	Manbhoom ...	Z 14 0	14 0	13 0	...	...	...	15 0	16 0	16 0	31 0	21 0	27 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				

* Returns not received.

† In the interior the retail price of common rice ranged from 23 seers 10 chittacks to 31½ seers per rupee.

O In the Cox's Bazar sub-division the retail price of salt was 10 seers per rupee.

P In the Feuny sub-division the retail price of salt was 9 seers per rupee.

Q In the Brahmunberiah and Chandpore sub-divisions the retail price of salt was 12½ seers per rupee.

R In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Newadah 10 seers, Aurungabad 11¾ seers.

S In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Seetamurhee 11 seers, and Hajeepore 12 seers.

T In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Sewan 11 seers and Gopalgunge 12 seers.

SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Chenna.			Maize or Indian corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 seers. Salt.			Districts
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		Eastern Districts.—(Concluded)
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	13 0	40 0	40 0	40 0	12 0	11 0	10 0	3 4	3 4	3 12	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	16 0	...	...	..	10 0	10 0	10 0	3 6	3 6	3 2	Noakholly
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 12	15 12	18 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	12 4	3 4	3 4	3 4	Tipperah.
...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	320 0	320 0	320 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 8	4 8	4 8	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
..	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	14 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Hill Tipperah.
																		BEHAR.
...	...	...	22 0	21 8	40 0	21 0	18 0	29 8	100 0	100 0	130 0	10 12	10 10	10 8	3 1	3 1	3 0	Patna
...	...	...	...	...	...	21 0	20 0	25 0	160 0	160 0	180 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Gya.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Shahabad
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Durbhunga.
...	...	...	20 0	19 0	38 0	18 0	18 0	22 0	140 0	140 0	140 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Monufferpore.
24 0	25 0	31 0	22 8	22 0	30 0	20 0	20 0	26 8	160 0	160 0	160 0	11 8	12 0	12 0	3 8	3 3	3 4	Sarun.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chumparun.
...	...	...	19 15	21 0	38 14	21 0	21 0	27 4	147 0	126 0	126 0	12 9	12 1	12 13	3 3	3-2-5	3 1	Monghyr.
...	...	...	21 7	21 7	44 3	20 3	21 7	25 4	151 8	157 1.	126 4	12 10	12 10	12 10	2-15-6	2 15	3-2-9	Bhagulpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	20 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	3 10	3-10-3	3 10	Purneah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	20 0	160	160 0	120 0	11 0	11 .0	11 0	3 7	3-6-6	3 6	Maldah.
...	...	...	22 0	21 8	50 0	17 0	17 0	20 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	12 0	12 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 7	Sonthal Pergh
																		ORISSA.
17 1	15 12	11 13	...	...	...	23 10	22 5	23 10	80 0	80 0	80 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	2 12	2 12	2 12	Cuttack
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pooree
...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Balasore
																		CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*
20 0	21 0	30 0	17 0	18 0	27 0	16 8	18 0	20 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	11 0	10 0	11 0	3-7-6	3-9-7	3 6	Hazareebagh.
30 0	30 0	35 0	20 0	22 0	29 0	13 0	14 0	15 0	100 0	100 0	120 0	10 8	11 0	10 0	3 9	3 6	3 10	Lohardugga.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 0	18 0	24 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	Singbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	48 0	15 8	15 12	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	10 0	10 0	1. 8	3 5	3 5	3 5	Manbhoom.

U In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Bagusera 11 seers, and Jamui 12 seers 5 chittacks.
V In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Banka 11 seers, Muddehpoorah 10½ seers, and Soopole 11½ seers.
W In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Kissengunge 10 seers, and Arrareah (at Ranigunge) 12 seers.
X In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Deoghur 12 seers, Rajmehal and Godda 11 seers.
Y The retail price of salt at Kharagdiha in the Giridih sub-division was 11½ seers per rupee.
Z In the Govindpore sub-division the retail price of salt was 11 seers per rupee.

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PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD, AND SALT IN THE DISTRICTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 31ST JANUARY 1884.

Number.	DISTRICTS.	RETAIL SALE:—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY																		
		WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM, JOWAR.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL																		
	Western Districts.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S.Ch.
1	Burdwan ...	A 15 9	15 8	13 12	22 0	25 0	30 0	12 12	14 0	26 4	14 4	17 0	30 12	...	..		...	...	...
2	Bankoora ...	B 15 0	15 0	14 8	16 0	16 0	16 0	15 8	15 8	20 0	18 12	18 12	25 0	.	...	.	..	...	...
3	Beerbhoom ...	C 15 0	15 0	14 0	...	...	...	13 8	15 0	18 0	15 4	17 4	25 0	...	...	..	.	...	...
4	Midnapore ...	D 12 0	12 0	12 0	15 0	15 0	16 0	14 0	14 0	21 0	18 0	18 0	28 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
5	Hooghly ...	E 14 0	14 0	15 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	10 0	13 0	13 0	18 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
	Howrah ...	13 0	13 4	13 0	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	16 0	13 4	13 4	20 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
	Central Districts.																		
	Calcutta ...	15 0	12 8	14 0	18 0	19 8	24 11	7 0	7 0	10 0	11 0	11 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	17 0	19 8	20 0	29 8
6	24-Pergunnahs ..	F 13 5	13 5	13 0	17 8	16 0	20 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	14 8	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	17 8
7	Nuddea ...	G 16 0	16 12	16 0	24 8	24 8	26 0	12 6	13 5½	18 12	13 5½	15 4	21 5½	...	...	..	...	...	...
8	Khoolna ..	H ...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	14 0	18 0	16 0	16 0	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Jessore ...	I 14 8	14 8	13 0	...	...	...	12 12	12 0	20 0	16 8	16 0	25 8	...	.	..	...	...	...
10	Moorshedabad...	J 16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	13 0	14 0	17 0	16 0	16 0	23 0	...	..	..	...	...	...
11	Dinagepore ..	16 0	16 0	13 2	15 0	14 8	13 8	13 4	13 4	17 0	16 0	16 0	20 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
12	Rajshahye ...	K 16 8 to 17 4	16 0 to 17 4	16 8	24 0	24 0	32 0	10 8	10 14	18 12	15 0	13 2	21 0 to 22 8	...	...	.		.	...
13	Rungpore ...	L 10 0	10 0	16 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	13 5	13 5	13 5	23 0		...	..	...	...	...
14	Bogra ...	15 0	15 12	11 4	...	...	..	10 8	9 12	12 0	16 8	16 8	30 0		...	.	...	..	...
15	Pubna ...	M 16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 6	10 0	14 4	14 4	24 8	...	...	..	...	..	...
16	Darjeeling ...	9 0	8 0	8 0	10 0	7 0	8 0	5 8	6 0	5 0	11 0	11 0	14 0	...	...	..	...	..	...
17	Julpigoree ..	N 10 0	10 0	11 8	20 0	20 0	20 0	13 0	13 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	20 0	..	..		...	..	...
	Eastern Districts.																		
18	Dacca ...	O 15 0	15 0	14 8	16 8	16 12	26 0	12 4	12 8	20 0	14 0	15 0	26 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
19	Furreedpore ...	P 22 0	22 0	20 0	30 0	30 0	35 0	14 0	14 0	20 0	15 0	15 0	25 0	..	...	..	...	..	...
20	Backergunge ...	Q ...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	13 0	18 0	18 0	16 0	26 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
21	Mymensingh ...	R 13 4	13 8	13 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	20 0	16 0	16 0	27 0	...	...	..	...	...	...

A In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Culna 14 seers, Cutwa 13 seers 10 chittacks, and Ranegunge 13½ seers.
B In the Bishenpore sub-division the retail price of salt was 13 seers per rupee.
C In the Rampore Haut sub-division the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.
D In the sub divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Ghattal 14½ seers, Contai 11½ seers.
E In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Serampore 13 seers, and Jehanabad 18½ seers.
F In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Baraset and Basirhat 13 seers, Diamond Harbour 11 seers, Barrackpore 12¾ seers and Dum-Dum 12 seers.
G In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kooshtea 13 seers, Meherpore and Chooadanga 11½ seers, and Ranaghat 12¾ seers.
H In the Satkhira, and Bagirhat sub-divisions the retail price of salt was 11 seers per rupee.
I In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Jhenida, Magura and Narail 12 seers, and Bonhong 13 seers

Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 31st January 1884.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 seers. Salt.			Districts.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
																		BENGAL.
																		Western Districts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 12	19 0	22 8	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 5	13 11	13 5	2 15	2-13 6	3 0	Burdwan
...	...	...	29 0	29 0	28 0	17 8	17 8	19 0	280 0	280 0	3 0 0	12 0	12 0	13 4	3-3-6	3-3-6	2 15	Bankoora
...	...	...	...	...		17 0	16 0	19 0	160 0	160 0	180 0	12 0	12 12	12 0	...	3-2-6	3 4	Beerbhoom
...	..	..	...	...	...	16 0	15 0	16 0	155 0	155 0	155 0	12 12	12 12	13 0	2 14	2 14	2 14	Midnapore.
...	...	..	...	...	..	17 0	17 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 9	13 9	13 9	2 14	2 14	2 14	Hooghly.
...	...	..	..	...	..	16 0	15 0	19 8	90 0	90 0	80 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	3 0	3 0	2 13	Howrah.
																		Central Districts
...	...	...	19 8	18 0	29 8	17 0	12 0	21 5	90 0	90 0	90 0	13 0	11 0	14 9	2 12	2 12	2 10	Calcutta
...	...	...	17 8	16 0	35 0	16 12	16 0	18 8	90 0	80 0	90 0	12 13	12 13	13 5	3 0	3 0	3 0	24-Pergunnahs
...	..	...	.	..	...	17 4	16 12	21 5½	..	..	...	11 10½	11 10½	11 10½	3 0	3 0	3 0	Nuddea.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	4 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	10 8	10 8	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 2	Khoolna.
...	..	..	..	..	...	16 0	16 0	17 8	120 0	120	120 0	10 12	10 12	11 8	3 2	3 2	3 0	Jessore
...	.	.	...	...	..	18 0	18 0	22 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	11 9	10 10	12 8	3 0	3 2	3 2	Moorshedabad
...	..	.	...	...	...	13 0	14 0	16 0	120 0	120 0	160 0	12 0	12 0	11 8	3 4	3 4	3 6	Dinagepore.
...	...	..	...	...	...	16 0 to 17 4	15 0 to 16 8	32 8	240 0	40	240 0	12 0	12 0	12 12	3-2-6	3-2 6	3 2	Rajshahye
..	..	...	...	.	...	15 0	15 0	15 14	110 0	110 0	120	11 14	11 14	11 14	...	3 5	3 5	Rungpore.
...	..	..	...	...	...	15 0	14 4	14 1	67 8	67 8	67 8	12 0	12 0	13 0	3-2-8	3-2-8	3-2-8	Bogra
..	..	..	...	...	...	15 8	15 8	18 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	12 6	12 6	...	3-2 6	3-2-6	3-1-3	Pubna.
10 0	13 0	8 0	20 0	19 0	24 0	8 0	9 0	11 0	128 0	1.8 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 8	4 8	4 8	Darjeeling.
			..	.	..	13 0	13 0	14 8	128 0	128	128	12 4	12 4	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Julpigoree.
																		Eastern Districts
..	..		..	..	..	16 12	17 0	21 4	90 0	93 0	80 0	12 10	13 10	12 4	3 2½	3 2	3 2	Dacca
...	...	..	...	...	...	20 0	20 0	14 0	120 0	120 0	1.0 0	12 0	12 0	12 8	3 5	3 5	3 2	Furreedpore
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	2 11	2 11	3 0	Backergunge.
...	...	...	...	...	..	13 4	16 0	19 0	...	..	..	12 4	12 4	13 4	3 4	3 4	3 4	Mymensingh

J In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Lalbagh 11 seers, Jungypore 12½ seers, and Kandi 12 seers.
K In the Nattore and Nowgong sub-divisions the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.
L In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kungrain 18 seers, and Nilphamari and Gaibanda 12 seers.
M In the Serajgunge sub-division the retail price of salt was 12½ seers per rupee.
N The retail price of salt at Fallacotta in the Ahpore sub-division was 10 seers per rupee.
O In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Manickgunge 11 seers, Moonshe gunge 10 seers 10½ chittacks and Naraingunge 10½ seers.
P In the Goalundo and Madaripore sub-divisions the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.
Q In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Patuakhali 10 seers 10 chittacks, Perozepore 11 seers, and Bhola 9 seers.
R In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Jamalpore 11½ seers, and Netrokona 12 seers 6 chittacks.

PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood and Salt in the

RETAIL SALE :—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY THE

Number	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM, JOWAR.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	Eastern Districts —(Concluded.)	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
22	Chittagong ...	S 13 0	11 0	10 0	...	...	...	13 0	12 0	16 0	18 0	17 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
23	Noakholly ...	T ...	...	...	...	...		15 0	16 0	22 0	17 0	18 0	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
24	Tipperah ...	U 13 5	13 5	13 5	...	...	...	14 12	15 0	21 0	16 4	17 12	31 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
25	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 5	14 0	14 8	16 0	16 0	17 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah	10 0	10 0	10 0	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	22 0	20 0	19 0	32 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	BEHAR																		
26	Patna ..	20 0	20 0	21 0	22 0	21 8	40 0	10 10	10 0	14 12	13 0	13 0	22 0	..	..	..	..	..	..
27	Gya ...	V 16 8	15 8	20 0	21 0	21 0	24 0	10 0	10 0	12 8	13 0	13 8	21 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
28	Shahabad ..	W 17 0 to 18 0	16 0 to 17 0	16 0 to 17 0	24 0	22 0	30 0	9 0	9 0	11 0 to 13 0	13 0 to 13 8	12 0 to 13 0	19 8 to 20 0	20 0	20 0	35 0	21 0	21 0	31 0
29	Durbhunga ...	X 13 0	13 0	14 0	...	18 0	40 0	9 0 (old rice) 10 8 (new rice.)	9 0	15 0	18 0	13 0	22 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
30	Mozufferpore ...	Y 18 0	16 0	15 0	25 0	25 0	35 0	10 0	9 0	12 0	13 8	12 0	19 0	...	...	.	...	..	...
31	Sarun ...	Z 18 0	17 8	17 0	24 0	24 0	30 0	9 0	9 0	10 0	13 0	13 0	21 0	...	...	..	28 0	23 0	32 0
32	Champarun ..	Z1 17 0	17 0	17 0	...	...	28 0	9 0	10 0	15 0	15 0	15 8	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
33	Monghyr ...	Z2 17 13	17 13	21 0	21 0	21 0	33 9	13 1	12 9	16 13	13 10	13 10	19 15	...	...	...	...	...	...
34	Bhagulpore ...	Z3 16 6	16 6	17 11	20 8	22 11	37 14	10 11 (old rice.) 12 0 (new rice.)	11 6 (old rice.) 12 10 (new rice.)	19 8	12 10 (old rice) 13 14 (new rice.)	13 12 (old rice.) 14 8 (new rice)	20 13	...	...	..	...	...	
35	Purneah ...	Z4 18 0	15 0	16 0	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	22 0	16 0	16 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
36	Maldah ..	20 0	20 0	16 0	.	...	...	11 0	14 0	16 0	14 0	16 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
37	Sonthal Pergns.	Z5 17 0	16 0	15 0	...	...	...	14 4	14 0	16 0	17 0	17 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	ORISSA.																		
38	Cuttack ...	14 7	14 7	11 13	..	...	..	13 2	13 2	15 13	19 0*	18 6	23 14	...	...	...	...	...	...
39	Pooree ..	Z6 11 13	10 6	14 0	.	.	..	14 7	14 7	26 4	21 0	23 10	27 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
40	Balasore ...	Z7 14 0	14 0	14 0	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	21 8	21 8	30 0	..	...	...	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE *South-Western Frontier Agency*																		
41	Hazareebagh ...	Z8 14 0	15 0	16 8	...	...	24 0	9 0	9 0	11 0	15 0	15 8	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
42	Lohardugga ...	14 0	14 0	13 0	15 0	15 0	18 0	16 0	14 0	20 0	20 0	18 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
43	Singbhoom ..	16 0	16 0	18 0	24 0	24 0	28 0	20 0	24 0	28 0	24 0	28 0	32 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
44	Manbhoom ...	Z9 14 0	4 0	13 0	...	...	...	15 0	18 0	16 0	21 0	21 0	27 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

* In the interior the retail price of common rice ranged from 23 seers 10 chittacks to 31⅓ seers per rupee.

S In the Cox's Bazar sub-division the retail price of salt was 10 seers per rupee.

T In the Feuny sub-division the retail price of salt was 9 seers per rupee.

U. In the Brahmunberiah and Chandpore sub-divisions the retail price of salt was 12½ seers per rupee.

V In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Nowadah 10 seers, Aurungabad 11½ seers.

W In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Sasseram 12 seers, Buxar 11½ seers, and Bhabbhua 11 seers.

X In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Tajpore 12 seers and Madhubani 11 seers.

Y In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Seetamurhee 11 seers, and Hajeepore 12 seers.

Z In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Sewan 11 seers and Gopalgunge 12 seers.

SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 seers. Salt.			Districts.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		Eastern Districts.—(Concluded.)
S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch	S Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	13 0	40 0	40 0	40 0	12 0	11 0	10 0	3 4	3 4	3 12	Chittagong.
..	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	16 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0	3 6	3 6	3 2	Noakholly
...	...	...	..	...	...	15 12	15 12	18 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	12 4	3 4	3 4	3 4	Tipperah.
...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	320 0	320 0	320 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 8	4 8	4 8	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
..	.	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	14 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Hill Tipperah.
																		BEHAR.
...	...	..	22 0	21 8	40 0	21 0	18 0	29 8	100 0	100 0	180 0	10 12	10 10	10 8	3 1	3 1	3 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	21 0	20 0	25 0	160 0	160 0	180 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Gya.
...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	20 0	28 8 to 29 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	12 8	12 8	12 8	3 1	3 1	3 1	Shahabad
19 0	18 0	45 0	16 8	18 0	45 0	17 0	18 0	22 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	12 6	12 6	11 0	3-1-6	3-1-6	3-10-0	Durbhunga.
...	...	...	20 0	19 0	38 0	18 0	18 0	22 0	140 0	140 0	140 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Mozufferpore.
24 0	25 0	31 0	22 8	22 0	30 0	20 0	20 0	26 8	160. 0	160 0	160 0	11 8	12 0	12 0	3 3	3 3	3 4	Sarun.
...	..	...	24 0	24 0	40 0	20 0	21 0	20 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	10 8	3-4-4	3-4-4	3-5-0	Chumparun.
...	.	.	19 15	21 0	38 14	21 0	21 0	27 4	147 0	126 0	126 0	12 9	12 1	12 13	3 3	3-2-5	3 1	Monghyr.
...	.	.	21 7	21 7	44 8	20 3	21 7	25 4	151 8	157 1	126 4	12 10	12 10	12 10	2-15-6	2 15	3-2-9	Bhaguipore.
...		..	..	...	...	17 0	17 0	20 0	162 0	160 0	160 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	3 10	3-10-3	3 10	Purneah.
...	..	...	.	...	...	16 0	16 0	20 0	160 0	160 0	120 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 7	3-6-6	3 6	Maldah.
...	...	...	22 0	21 8	50 0	17 0	17 0	20 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	12 0	12 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 7	Sonthal Pergh.
																		ORISSA.
17 1	15 12	11 13	...	...	...	23 10	22 5	23 10	80 0	80 0	80 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	2 12	2 12	2 12	Cuttack.
...	.	...	..	.	...	23 10 (Birhi or Kalai.)	19 11	21 0	100 0	100 0	125 0	13 3	13 3	11 4	2 7	2 12	2 12	Poore.
...	..	...	..	.		13 0	13 0	16 0	110 0	110 0	120 0	9 0	9 0	12 12	3 14	3 14	3 2	Balasore.
																		CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*
20 0	21 0	30 0	17 0	18 0	27 0	16 8	18 0	20 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	11 0	10 0	11 0	3-7-6	3-9-7	3 6	Hazareebagh.
30 0	30 0	35 0	20 0	22 0	29 0	13 0	14 0	15 0	100 0	100 0	120 0	10 8	11 0	10 0	3 9	3 6	3 10	Lohardugga.
...	...	..	...	...	...	18 0	18 0	24 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	Singbhoom.
...	...	...	...	..	48 0	15 8	15 12	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	10 0	10 0	10 8	3 5	3 5	3 5	Manbhoom.

Z1 In the Bettiah sub-division the retail price of salt was 11 seers per rupee.
Z2 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Bigusarai 11 seers, and Jamui 12 seers 5 chittacks.
Z3 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Banka 11 seers, Muddobpoorah 10½ seers, and Soopole 11½ seers.
Z4 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kissengunge 10 seers, and Arrareah (at Ranigunge) 12 seers.
Z5 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Deoghur 12 seers, Rajmehal and Godda 11 seers.
Z6 In the Khoonda sub-division the retail price of salt was 16 seers per rupee.
Z7 In the Bhadruck sub-division the retail price of salt was 8 seers per rupee.
Z8 The retail price of salt at Kharagdiha in the Giridih sub-division was 11½ seers per rupee.
Z9 In the Govindpore sub-division the retail prices of salt was 11 seers per rupee.

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PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD, AND SALT IN THE DISTRICTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 15TH FEBRUARY 1884.

Number.	DISTRICTS.	RETAIL SALE:—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY																		
		WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM. JOWAR.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL																		
	Western Districts.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
1	Burdwan ...	A 16 0	15 9	18 0	23 8	22 0	40 0	14 4	12 12	26 0	16 12	14 4	27 12	...	...	..	...	...	...
2	Bankoora ...	B 15 0	15 0	14 8	16 0	16 0	16 8	15 0	15 8	20 0	18 8	18 12	27 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
3	Beerbhoom ...	C 15 0	15 0	13 12	15 0	...	...	12 12	13 8	20 0	15 0	15 4	24 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
4	Midnapore* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...
5	Hooghly ...	D 14 0	14 0	15 8	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	10 0	13 0	13 0	19 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
	Howrah ...	13 4	13 0	12 8	...	...	...	12 3	11 8	16 0	15 0	13 4	20 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
	Central Districts.																		
	Calcutta ...	12 8	15 0	13 5	15 0	18 0	23 2	7 0	7 0	10 0	11 0	11 0	16 0	19 0	16 0	17 0	20 0	19 8	26 10
6	24-Pergunnahs	D1 13 5	13 5	13 5	17 8	17 8	20 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	14 8	14 8	17 8	...	...	...	...	...	20 0
7	Nuddea ...	E 16 0	16 0	16 0	24 8	24 8	...	12 13	12 6	18 3½	13 14½	13 5½	20 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
8	Khoolna ..	F. ...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	18 0	16 0	16 0	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Jessore ...	G 14 0	14 8	13 0	...	...	...	13 4	12 12	20 0	16 8	16 8	24 8	...	.	...	...	...	...
10	Moorshedabad...	H 18 0	16 0	16. 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	17 0	16 0	16 0	23 8	...	...	..	...	...	...
11	Dinagepore ..	13 4	16 0	13 2	13 4	15 0	14 0	14 0	13 4	20 4	16 0	16 0	24 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
12	Rajshahye ...	I 16 8 to 17 4	16 8 to 17 4	16 8	24 0	24 0	32 0	9 0 to 10 8	10 8	18 12	14 4	15 0	21 0 to 22 0	...	...	..	..	..	...
13	Rungpore ...	J 10 0	10 0	16 0	...	...	...	9 0	10 0	18 5	12 8	13 5	20 0		...	..	...	...	...
14	Bogra ...	12 12	15 0	12 0	...	...	...	9 12	10 8	12 0	16 8	16 8	30 0		...	..	...	...	...
15	Pubna ...	K 18 0	18 0	15 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	10 0	13 14	14 4	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
16	Darjeeling ...	L 9 0	8 0	8 0	10 0	10 0	8 0	6 0	5 8	5 0	12 0	11 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
17	Julpigòree ...	M 10 0	10 0	11 8	20 0	20 0	20 0	13 0	13 0	15 0	16 0	16 0	20 0	...	...		...	...	...
	Eastern Districts.																		
18	Dacca ...	N 16 0	15 0	16 0	16 0	16 8	27 8	13 8	12 4	21 8	15 0	14 0	27 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
19	Furreedpore ...	O 22 0	22 0	20 0	30 0	30 0	35 0	13 0	14 0	24 .0	14 0	15 0	25 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
20	Backergunge ...	P ...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	19 0	18 0	18 0	27 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
21	Mymensingh ...	Q 13 4	13 4	13 0	...	...	...	11 0	10 0	20 0	16 0	16 0	27 0	...	...	..	...	...	...

* Return not received.

A In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Culna 14 seers, Cutwa 13½ seers and Raneegunge 18¼ seers.
B In the Bishenpore sub-division the retail price of salt was 13 seers per rupee.
C In the Rampore Haut sub-division the retail price of salt was 12½ seers per rupee.
D In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Serampore 13 seers, and Jehanabad 13½ seers.
D1 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Baraset and Bussirhat 13 seers, Diamond Harbour 11 seers, Barrackpore 12½ seers and Dum-Dum 12 seers.
E In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Koosbtea 13 seers, Meherpore and Chooadanga 11½ seers, and Ranaghat 12½ seers.
F In the Satkhira, and Bagirhat sub-divisions the retail price of salt was 11 seers per rupee.
G In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Jhenida and Narail 12 seers, and Bonkong 13 seers.
H In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Lalbagh 11 seers, Jungypore 12½ seers, and Kandi 12 seers.

Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 15th February 1884.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per maund of 40 seers. Salt.			DISTRICTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
																		BENGAL.
																		Western Districts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	17 12	20 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 8	13 5	12 8	3-14-6	2 15	3 0	Burdwan.
...	...	...	29 0	29 0	37 0	17 8	17 8	19 0	280 0	280 0	320 0	12 0	12 0	13 0	3-3-6	3-3-6	3 1	Bankoora.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	18 8	160 0	160 0	200 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3-2-6	3-2-6	3-4-3	Beerbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Midnapore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 9	13 9	13 9	2 14	2 14	2 14	Hooghly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 0	16 0	19 8	90 0	90 0	80 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	3 0	3 0	2 14	Howrah.
																		Central Districts
...	...	...	19 8	19 8	29 8	17 0	17 0	20 0	90 0	90 0	90 0	13 0	13 0	14 9	2 12	2 12	2 10	Calcutta.
...	...	...	17 8	17 8	32 0	17 8	16 12	18 8	90 0	90 0	90 0	12 13	12 13	13 5	3 0	3 0	2 14	24-Pergunnahs.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 4	17 4	21 5½	...	...	...	11 10½	11 10½	11 10½	3 0	3 0	3 0	Nuddea.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	14 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	10 8	10 8	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 2	Khoolna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	17 8	120 0	120 0	120 0	10 12	10 12	11 8	3 2	3 2	3 0	Jessore.
...	...	...	...	...	..	18 0	18 0	22 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	11 8	11 9	12 8	3 0	3 0	3 2	Moorshedabad
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 12	13 0	16 12	120 0	120 0	160 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 5	Dinagepore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0 to 17 4	16 0 to 17 4	22 5	240 0	240 0	240 0	12 0	12 0	12 12	3-2-6	3-2 6	3 2	Rajshahye
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	15 14	110 0	110 0	120 0	11 14	11 14	11 14	3 5	3 5	3 5	Rungpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	12 0	82 8	67 8	67 8	12 0	12 0	12 0	3-2-8	3-2-8	3-3-8	Bogra
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 8	15 8	17 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	12 6	12 6	12 12	3-2-6	3-2-6	3-1-3	Pubna.
12 0	10 0	8 0	20 0	20 0	26 0	8 0	8 0	11 0	128 0	128 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 8	4 8	4 6	Darjeeling
...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	14 8	128 0	128 0	128 0	12 4	12 4	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Julpigoree.
																		Eastern Districts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 12	16 12	22 0	90 10	90 10	80 0	12 10	12 10	12 4	3 2	3 2	3 2	Dacca
...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	20 0	16 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3 5	3 5	3 4	Furreedpore
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	2 11	2 11	3 0	Backergunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	13 4	19 0	...	...	...	12 4	12 4	12 4	3 4	3 4	3 4	Mymensingh

I In the Nattore sub-division the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.
J In the Nilphamari and Gaibanda sub-divisions the retail prices of salt was 12 seer per rupee.
K In the Serajgunge sub-division the retail price of salt was 13 seers per rupee.
L The retail price of salt at Silliguri was 11 seers per rupee.
M The retail price of salt at Fallacotta in the Alipore sub-division was 10 seers per rupee.
N In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Manickgunge 11 seers, Moonshegunge 10 seers 10½ chittacks and Naraingunge 12 seers.
O In the Goalundo and Madaripore sub-divisions the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.
P In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Patuakhali 10 seers 10 chittacks, Perozepore 11 seers, and Bhola 9 seers.
Q In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kishoregunge 10 seers 10 chittacks, Attea 12 seers, Jamalpore 11½ seers and Netrokona 12 seers 5 chittacks.

RETAIL SALE :—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY THE

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, RAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM, JOWAR.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	Eastern Districts —(Concluded.)																		
		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
22	Chittagong ...	R 13 0	13 0	11 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	18 0	18 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
23	Noakholly ...	S ...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	22 0	17 0	17 0	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
24	Tipperah ...	T 12 12	13 5	13 8	...	...	...	14 8	14 12	21 0	16 6½	16 4	29 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
25	Chittagong Hill Tracts.*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah	10 0	10 0	10 0	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	21 0	18 0	20 0	32 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	BEHAR.																		
26	Patna ...	20 0	20 0	21 0	22 0	22 0	40 0	10 10	10 10	14 12	13 0	13 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
27	Gya ...	U 16 8	16 8	20 8	22 0	21 0	22 0	10 0	10 0	12 8	13 8	13 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
28	Shahabad* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
29	Durbhunga* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
30	Mozufferpore ...	V 18 0	18 0	18 0	20 0	25 0	35 0	9 0	10 0	12 0	13 8	13 8	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
31	Sarun ...	W 18 0	18 0	17 0	24 0	24 0	32 0	9 0	9 0	10 8	13 0	13 0	21 0	...	...	...	24 0	23 0	32 0
32	Chumparun ...	X 17 0	17 0	16 0	...	...	28 0	9 0	9 0	15 0	14 8	15 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
33	Monghyr ...	Y 18 10	17 13	19 15	26 4	21 0	33 9	10 8	13 1	16 13	12 9	13 10	19 15	...	...	...	...	...	...
34	Bhagulpore ...	Y1 16 6	16 6	16 6	20 3	20 3	32-13	10 11 (old rice). 12 0 (new rice).	10 11 (old rice). 12 0 (new rice).	16-15	12 10 (old rice). 13 14 (new rice).	12 10 (old rice). 13 14 (new rice).	20-3	...	...	...	...	...	...
35	Purneah ...	Z 17 0	18 0	17 0	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	20 0	16 0	16 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
36	Maldah ...	20 0	20 0	16 0	...	...	...	12 0	11 0	21 0	14 0	14 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
37	Sonthal Perghs.	Z1 17 0	17 0	16 0	...	...	...	14 4	14 4	16 0	17 0	17 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	ORISSA.																		
38	Cuttack ...	14 7	14 7	11 13	...	...	...	13 2	13 2	18 6	18 6†	19 0	24 15	...	...	...	...	...	...
39	Pooree* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
40	Balasore ...	Z2 14 0	14 0	14 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	18 0	21 8	30 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE *South-Western Frontier Agency*																		
41	Hazareebagh ...	Z3 14 0	14 0	15 0	...	...	24 0	9 0	9 0	12 0	15 0	15 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
42	Lohardugga ...	Z4 14 0	14 0	15 0	15 0	15 0	18 0	14 0	16 0	20 0	18 0	20 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
43	Singbhoom ...	16 0	16 0	16 0	24 0	24 0	28 0	20 0	20 0	28 0	24 0	24 0	32 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
44	Manbhoom ...	Z5 14 0	14 0	13 0	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	18 0	21 0	21 0	27 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

* Returns not received.
† In the interior the retail prices of common rice ranged from 18 to 24 seers per rupee.
R In the Cox's Bazar sub-division the retail price of salt was 10 seers per rupee.
S In the Feeny sub-division the retail price of salt was 9 seers per rupee.
T In the Brahmunberiah and Chandpore sub-divisions the retail price of salt was 12½ seers per rupee.
U In the Aurungabad sub-division the retail price of salt was 11¼ seers per rupee.
V In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Seetamurhee 11 seers, and Hajeepore 12 seers.
W In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Sewan 11¼ seers and Gopalgunge 12 seers.
X In the Bettiah sub-division the retail price of salt was 11 seers per rupee.

Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 15th February 1884.—(Concld.)

SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 seers. Salt.			Districts.
Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year	Present return	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		Eastern Districts.—(Concluded.)
S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch	S Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	R	
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	13 0	13 0	40 0	40 0	40 0	12 0	12 0	10 0	3 4	3 4	3 12	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	16 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0	3 6	3 6	3 2	Noakholly
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 8	15 12	18 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 3	Tipperah.
...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	14 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Hill Tipperah.
																		BEHAR.
...	...	...	22 0	22 0	40 0	21 0	21 0	29 8	100 0	100 0	130 0	10 2	10 2	10 8	3 1	3 1	3 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	21 8	21 0	22 0	160 0	160 0	180 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Gya.
...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Shahabad.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Durbhunga.
...	...	..	19 8	20 0	35 0	18 0	18 0	22 0	140 0	140 0	140 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Mozufferpore.
25 0	24 0	32 0	23 0	22 8	30 0	20 0	20 0	27 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	11 8	11 8	11 8	3-3-6	3 3	3 4	Saran.
...	...	...	22 0	24 0	40 0	18 0	20 0	19 0	...	...	...	11 12	12 0	11 0	3-5-5	3-4-4	3 5	Chumparun
...	...	...	21 0	19 15	33 9	21 0	21 0	26 4	126 0	147 0	105 0	12 1	12 9	12 9	3-2-5	3 3	3 1	Monghyr.
...	...	...	18 4	21 7	33 7	19 9	20 3	25 4	151 8	151 8	138 14	12 10	12 10	12 10	2-15-6	2-15-6	3-2-9	Bhagulpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	20 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	10 0	10 0	10 8	3 10	3 10	3 10	Purneah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	20 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	11 0	11 0	11 8	3 6	3 7	3 6	Maldah.
...	...	...	22 0	22 0	50 0	17 0	17 0	20 0	300 0	300 0	300 0	12 0	12 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 7	Sonthal Pergh.
																		ORISSA.
16 7	17 1	17 1	...	...	...	23 10	23 10	23 10	80 0	80 0	80 0	14 8	14 0	14 0	2 10	2 12	2 12	Cuttack.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Poore.
...	...	...	...	...	.	13 0	13 0	16 0	110 0	110 0	120 0	9 0	9 0	12 12	3 14	3 14	3 2	Balasore.
																		CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*
21 0	20 0	30 0	18 0	17 0	27 0	17 0	16 8	18 0	320 0	240 0	240 0	10 0	11 0	11 0	3-8-9	3-7-6	3 6	Hazareebagh.
28 0	30 0	32 0	20 0	20 0	28 0	13 0	13 0	16 0	100 0	100 0	120 0	11 0	10 8	10 0	3 6	3 9	3 10	Lohardugga.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 0	18 0	24 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	4 0	4 0	3 12	Singhbhoom.
...	...	...	...	..	48 0	16 0	15 8	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	10 0	10 0	10 8	3 6	3 5	3 6	Manbhoom.

Y In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Bigneeai 11 seers, and Jamui 11½ seers.
Y1 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Banka 12 seers, Muddehpoora 10½ seers, and Soopole 11 seers.
Z In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kissengunge 10 seers, and Arrareah (at Runigunge) 12 seers.
Z1 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Deoghur 13 seers, and Rajmehal and Gudda 11 seers.
Z2 In the Bhadruck sub-division the retail price of salt was 8 seers per rupee.
Z3 The retail price of salt at Kharagdiha in the Giridih sub-division was 11½ seers per rupee.
Z4 The retail price of salt at Daltongunge in the Palamow sub-division was 11½ seers per rupee.
Z5 In the Govindpore sub-division the retail price of salt was 11 seers per rupee.

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PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD, AND SALT IN THE DISTRICTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 15TH FEBRUARY 1884.

PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood and Salt in the

RETAIL SALE:—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM, JOWAR.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL																		
	Western Districts.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
1	Burdwan ...	A 16 0	15 9	18 0	23 8	22 0	40 0	14 4	12 12	26 0	16 12	14 4	27 12	...	..		...	...	...
2	Bankoora ...	B 15 0	15 0	14 8	16 0	16 0	16 8	15 0	15 8	20 0	18 8	18 12	27 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
3	Beerbhoom ...	C 15 0	15 0	18 12	15 0	...	...	12 12	13 8	20 0	15 0	15 4	24 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
4	Midnapore ...	D 12 0	12 0	13 0	15 0	15 0	16 0	14 0	14 0	22 0	19 0	18 0	28 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
5	Hooghly ...	E 14 0	14 0	15 8	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	10 0	13 0	13 0	19 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
	Howrah ...	13 4	13 0	12 8	...	...	...	12 3	11 8	16 0	15 0	13 4	20 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
	Central Districts.																		
	Calcutta ...	12 8	15 0	13 5	15 0	18 0	23 2	7 0	7 0	10 0	11 0	11 0	16 0	19 0	16 0	17 0	20 0	19 8	26 10
6	24-Pergunnahs	F 13 5	13 5	13 5	17 8	17 8	20 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	14 8	14 8	17 8	...	...	...	...	...	20 0
7	Nuddea ...	G 16 0	16 0	16 0	24 8	24 8	...	12 13	12 6	18 3½	13 14½	13 5½	20 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
8	Khoolna ..	H ...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	18 0	16 0	16 0	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Jessore ...	I 14 0	14 8	13 0	...	...	...	13 4	12 12	20 0	16 8	16 8	24 8	...	.	...	...	...	...
10	Moorshedabad...	J 18 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	17 0	16 0	16 0	23 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
11	Dinagepore .	13 4	16 0	13 2	13 4	15 0	14 0	14 0	13 4	20 4	16 0	16 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
12	Rajshahye ...	K 16 8 to 17 4	16 8 to 17 4	16 8	24 0	24 0	32 0	9 0 to 10 8	10 8	18 12	14 4	15 0	21 0 to 22 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
13	Rungpore ...	L 10 0	10 0	16 0	...	...	...	9 0	10 0	13 5	12 8	13 5	20 0		...	...	...	...	...
14	Bogra ...	12 12	15 0	12 0	...	...	...	9 12	10 8	12 0	16 8	16 8	30 0		...	...	...	...	...
15	Pubna ...	M 18 0	18 0	15 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	10 0	13 14	14 4	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
16	Darjeeling ...	N 9 0	9 0	8 0	10 0	10 0	8 0	6 0	5 8	5 0	12 0	11 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	—	...
17	Julpigoree ...	O 10 0	10 0	11 8	20 0	20 0	20 0	13 0	13 0	15 0	16 0	16 0	20 0	...	...		...	...	...
	Eastern Districts.																		
18	Dacca ...	P 16 0	15 0	16 0	16 0	16 8	27 8	13 8	12 4	21 8	15 0	14 0	27 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
19	Furreedpore ...	Q 22 0	22 0	20 0	30 0	30 0	35 0	13 0	14 0	24 0	14 0	15 0	25 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
20	Backergunge ...	R ...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	19 0	18 0	18 0	27 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
21	Mymensingh ...	S 13 4	13 4	13 0	...	...	...	11 0	10 0	20 0	16 0	16 0	27 0	...	...	..	...	...	...

A In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Culna 14 seers, Cutwa 13½ seers and Kaneegunge 13½ seers.
B In the Bishenpore sub-division the retail price of salt was 13 seers per rupee.
C In the Rampore Haut sub-division the retail price of salt was 12½ seers per rupee.
D In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Contai 11½ seers, Ghattal 14½ seers.
E In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Serampore 13 seers, and Jehanabad 13½ seers.
F In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Baraset and Bussirhat 13 seers, Diamond Harbour 11 seers, Barrackpore 12½ seers and Dum-Dum 12 seers.
G In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kooshtea 13 seers, Meherpore and Chooadanga 11½ seers, and Ranaghat 12½ seers.
H In the Satkhira, and Bagirhat sub-divisions the retail price of salt was 11 seers per rupee.
I In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Jhenida, Magura and Narail 12 seers, and Bongong 13 seers.
J In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Lalbagh 11 seers, Jungypore 12½ seers, and Kandi 12 seers.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per maund of 40 seers. Salt.			DISTRICTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		BENGAL.
																		Western Districts.
S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch	S Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch	S. Ch	S Ch	S Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	17 12	20 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 8	13 5	12 8	2-14-6	2 15	3 0	Burdwan.
...	...	...	29 0	29 0	37 0	17 8	17 8	19 0	280 0	280 0	320 0	12 0	12 0	13 0	3-3-6	3-3-6	3 1	Bankoora.
...	...	...	...	...	..	17 0	17 0	18 8	160 0	160 0	200 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3-2-6	3-2-6	3-4-3	Beerbhoom
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	17 8	155 0	155 0	155 0	12 12	12 12	13 0	2 14	2 14	2 14	Midnapore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 9	13 9	13 9	2 14	2 14	2 14	Hooghly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 0	16 0	19 8	90 0	90 0	80 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	3 0	3 0	2 14	Howrah.
																		Central Districts
...	...	...	19 8	19 8	29 3	17 0	17 0	20 0	90 0	90 0	90 0	13 0	13 0	14 9	2 12	2 12	2 10	Calcutta.
...	...	...	17 8	17 8	32 0	17 8	16 12	18 8	90 0	90 0	90 0	12 13	12 13	13 5	3 0	3 0	2 14	24-Pergunnahs.
...	...	..	...	...	...	17 4	17 4	21 5½	...	...	...	11 10½	11 10½	11 10½	3 0	3 0	3 0	Nuddea.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	14 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	10 8	10 8	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 2	Khoolna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	17 8	120 0	120 0	120 0	10 12	10 12	11 8	3 2	3 2	3 0	Jessore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 0	18 0	22 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	11 8	11 9	12 8	3 0	3 0	3 2	Moorshedabad
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 12	13 0	16 12	120 0	120 0	160 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 5	Dinagepore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0 to 17 4	16 0 to 17 4	22 9	240 0	240 0	240 0	12 0	12 0	12 12	3-2-6	3-2-6	3 2	Rajshahy.
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	15 14	110 0	110 0	120 0	11 14	11 14	11 14	3 5	3 5	3 5	Rungpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	12 0	82 8	67 8	67 8	12 0	12 0	12 0	3-2-8	3-2-8	3-2-8	Bogr .
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 8	15 8	17 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	12 6	12 6	12 12	3-2-6	3-2-6	3-1-3	Pubn.
12 0	10 0	8 0	20 0	20 0	26 0	8 0	8 0	11 0	128 0	128 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 8	4 8	4 6	Darjeeling.
...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	14 8	128 0	128 0	128 0	12 4	12 4	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Julpigoree.
																		Eastern Districts
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 12	16 12	22 0	90 10	90 10	80 0	12 10	13 10	12 4	3 2	3 2	3 2	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	20 0	16 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3 5	3 5	3 4	Furreedpore
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	2 11	2 11	3 0	Backergunge
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	13 4	19 0	...	...	...	12 4	12 4	12 4	3 4	3 4	3 4	Mymensingh.

K In the Nattore sub division the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee
L In the Nilphamari and Gaibanda sub-divisions the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.
M In the Serajgunge sub-division the retail price of salt was 13 seers per rupee.
N The retail price of salt at Siliguri was 11 seers per rupee.
O The retail price of salt at Fallacotta in the Alipore sub-division was 10 seers per rupee.
P In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Manickgunge 11 seers, Moonsheegunge 10 seers 10½ chittacks and Naraingunge 10 seers.
Q In the Goalundo and Madaripore sub-divisions the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.
R In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Patuakhali 10 seers 10 chittacks, Perozepore 11 seers, and Bhola 9 seers
S In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kishoregunge 10 seers 10 chittacks, Atteo 12 seers, Jamalpore 11½ seers and Netrokona 12 seers 5 chittacks.

RETAIL SALE :—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY THE

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM, JOWAR.		
		Present returns.	Next preceding returns.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present returns.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding returns.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding returns.	Corresponding return of last year.
	***Eastern Districts*—(Concluded.)**																		
		S. Ch.	S Ch.	S Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch.
23	Chittagong ...	T 13 0	13 0	11 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	18 0	18 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
23	Noakholly ...	U ...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	22 0	17 0	17 0	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
24	Tipperah ...	V 12 12*	13 5	13 8	...	...	...	14 8	14 12	21 0	16 6½	16 4	29 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
25	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 4	13 5	14 8	13 5	16 0	17 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah	10 0	10 0	10 0	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	21 0	18 0	20 0	32 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	BEHAR.																		
26	Patna ...	20 0	20 0	21 0	22 0	22 0	40 0	10 10	10 10	14 12	13 0	13 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
27	Gya ...	W 16 8	16 8	20 8	22 0	21 0	22 0	10 0	10 0	12 8	13 8	13 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
28	Shahabad ..	X 16 0 to 18 0	17 0 to 18 0	16 8 to 17 0	23 0	24 0	28 0	9 0	9 0 to 9 0 (old rice). 10 8 (new rice).	11 8	13 8 to 14 0	13 0 to 13 8	18 0 to 19 0	20 0	20 0	35 0	21 0	21 0	29 0
29	Durbhunga ...	Y 15 6	13 0	13 0	20 5	...	40 0	11 0	} 13 0	14 5	13 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	
30	Muzufferpore ...	Z 18 0	18 0	18 0	20 0	25 0	35 0	9 0	10 0	12 0	13 8	13 8	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
31	Sarun ...	Z1 18 0	18 0	17 0	24 0	24 0	32 0	9 0	9 0	10 8	13 0	13 0	21 0	...	...	...	24 0	23 0	32 0
32	Chumparun ...	Z2 17 0	17 0	16 0	...	...	28 0	9 0	9 0	15 0	14 8	15 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
33	Monghyr ...	Z3 18 10	17 13	19 15	26 4	21 0	33 9	10 8	13 1	16 13	12 9	13 10	19 15	...	...	...	...	...	...
34	Bhagulpore ...	Z4 16 6	16 6	16 6	20 3	20 3	32-13	10 11 (old rice). 12 0 (new rice).	10 11 (old rice). 12 0 (new rice)	} 18-15	12 10 (old rice). 13 14 (new rice).	12 10 (old rice). 13 14 (new rice).	} 20-3	...	...	...	...	...	...
35	Purneah ...	Z5 17 0	18 0	17 0	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	20 0	16 0	16 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
36	Maldah ...	20 0	20 0	16 0	...	...	...	12 0	11 0	21 0	14 0	14 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
37	Sonthal Perghs.	Z6 17 0	17 0	16 0	...	...	...	14 4	14 4	16 0	17 0	17 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	ORISSA.																		
38	Cuttack ...	14 7	14 7	11 13	...	...	...	13 2	13 2	18 6	18 6*	19 0	24 15	...	...	...	...	...	...
39	Pooree ...	11 13	11 13	13 2	...	...	...	13 2	14 7	27 9	21 0	21 0	32 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
40	Balasore ...	Z7 14 0	14 0	14 0	...	...	...	13 0	16 0	16 0	18 0	21 8	30 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE *South-Western Frontier Agency*																		
41	Hazareebagh ...	Z8 14 0	14 0	15 0	...	...	24 0	9 0	9 0	12 0	15 0	15 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
42	Lohardugga ...	Z9 14 0	14 0	15 0	15 0	15 0	18 0	14 0	16 0	20 0	18 0	20 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
43	Singbhoom ...	16 0	16 0	16 0	24 0	24 0	28 0	20 0	20 0	28 0	24 0	24 0	32 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
44	Manbhoom ...	Z10 14 0	14 0	13 0	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	18 0	21 0	21 0	27 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

* In the interior the retail price of common rice ranged from 18 to 24 seers per rupee.

T In the Cox's Bazar sub-division the retail price of salt was 10 seers per rupee.

U In the Penny sub-division the retail price of salt was 9 seers per rupee.

V In the Brahmunberiah and Chandpore sub-divisions the retail price of salt was 12½ seers per rupee.

W In the Aurungabad sub-division the retail price of salt was 11½ seers per rupee.

X In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Buxar 11½ seers, Sassiram 12 seers, and Bhabbhua 11 seers.

Y In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Tajpore 12 seers, and Madhubani 11 seers.

Z In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Seetamurhee 11 seers, and Hajeepore 12 seers.

Z1 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Sewan 11½ seers and Gopalgunge 12 seers.

Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 15th February 1884.—(Concld.)

SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 seers. Salt.			DISTRICTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		Eastern Districts.—(Concluded.)
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.		
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	13 0	13 0	40 0	40 0	40 0	12 0	12 0	10 0	3 4	3 4	3 12	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	16 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0	3 6	3 6	3 2	Noakholly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 8	15 12	18 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 3	Tipperah.
...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	320 0	320 0	320 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 8	4 8	4 8	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
..	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	14 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Hill Tipperah.
																		BEHAR
...	...	...	22 0	22 0	40 0	21 0	21 0	29 8	100 0	100 0	130 0	10 2	10 2	10 8	3 1	3 1	3 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	21 8	21 0	22 0	160 0	160 0	180 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Gya.
...	...	...	...	...	..	20 0	20 0	26 8 to 27 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	12 8	12 8	12 8	3 1	3 1	3 1	Shahabad.
20 14	19 0	35 0	19 2	16 8	30 0	19 13	17 0	22 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	12 6	12 6	11 0	3-1-6	3-1-6	3 10	Durbhunga.
...	...	..	19 8	20 0	35 0	18 0	18 0	22 0	140 0	140 0	140 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Mozufferpore.
25 0	24 0	32 0	28 0	22 8	30 0	20 0	20 0	27 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	11 8	11 8	11 8	3-3-6	3 3	3 4	Sarun.
...	...	...	22 0	24 0	40 0	18 0	20 0	19 0	...	...	...	11 12	12 0	11 0	3-5-5	3-4-4	3 5	Chumparun.
...	...	...	21 0	19 15	33 9	21 0	21 0	26 4	126 0	147 0	105 0	12 1	12 9	12 9	3-2-5	3 3	3 1	Monghyr.
...	...	...	18 4	21 7	33 7	19 9	20 3	25 4	151 8	151 8	138 14	12 10	12 10	12 10	2-15-6	2-15-6	3-2-9	Bhagulpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	20 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	10 0	10 0	10 8	3 10	3 10	3 10	Purneah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	20 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	11 0	11 0	11 8	3 6	3 7	3 6	Maldah.
...	...	...	22 0	22 0	50 0	17 0	17 0	20 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	12 0	12 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 7	Sonthal Pergh.
																		ORISSA.
16 7	17 1	17 1	...	...	...	23 10	23 10	23 10	80 0	80 0	80 0	14 8	14 0	14 0	2 10	2 12	2 12	Cuttack.
...	...	...	...	...	...	23 10	23 10 (Birhi or kalai)	21 0	80 0	100 0	120 0	14 7	13 3	11 4	2 7	2 7	2 12	Pooree.
...	...	...	...	...	..	13 0	18 0	16 0	110 0	110 0	120 0	9 0	9 0	12 12	3 14	3 14	2	Balasore.
																		CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency*
21 0	20 0	30 0	18 0	17 0	27 0	17 0	16 8	18 0	320 0	240 0	240 0	10 0	11 0	11 0	3-8-9	3-7-6	3 6	Hazareebagh.
28 0	30 0	32 0	20 0	20 0	28 0	13 0	13 0	16 0	100 0	100 0	120 0	11 0	10 8	10 0	3 6	3 9	3 10	Lohardugga.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 0	18 0	24 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	4 0	4 0	3 12	Singbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	48 0	16 0	15 8	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	10 0	10 0	10 8	3 6	3 5	3 6	Manbhoom.

Z2 In the Bettiah sub-division the retail price of salt was 11 seers per rupee.
Z3 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Begusarai 11 seers, and Jamui 11½ seers.
Z4 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Banka 12 seers, Muddehpoora 10½ seers, and Soopole 11 seers.
Z5 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kissengunge 10 seers, and Arrareah (at Ranigunge) 12 seers.
Z6 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Deoghur 18 seers, and Rajmehal and Godda 12 seers.
Z7 In the Bhadruck sub-division the retail price of salt was 8 seers per rupee.
Z8 The retail price of salt at Kharagdiha in the Giridi sub-division was 11½ seers per rupee.
Z9 The retail price of salt at Daltongunge in the Palamow sub-division was 11½ seers per rupee.
Z10 In the Govindpore sub-division the retail price of salt was 11 seers per rupee.

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PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD, AND SALT IN THE DISTRICTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 29TH FEBRUARY 1884.

PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood and Salt in the

RETAIL SALE:—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM, JOWAR.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL																		
	Western Districts.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
1	Burdwan ...	A 18 0	16 0	18 0	22 0	23 8	30 0	14 4	14 4	20 8	17 12	16 12	23 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
2	Bankoora ...	B 15 0	15 0	13 8	16 0	16 0	16 0	15 8	15 0	20 0	19 0	18 8	26 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	Beerbhoom ...	15 0	15 0	13 12	...	...	...	14 0	12 12	16 8	15 8	15 0	22 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
4	Midnapore* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5	Hooghly ...	C 16 0	14 0	15 8	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	10 0	13 0	13 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Howrah ...	13 12	13 4	13 4	...	...	...	12 4	12 8	16 0	15 0	15 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Central Districts.																		
	Calcutta ...	15 0 C1	12 8	14 0	17 0	15 0	20 0	7 0	7 0	10 12	11 0	11 0	16 0	17 0	19 0	17 0	19 0	20 0	24 8
6	24-Pergunnahs	13 5	13 5	13 0	17 10	17 8	20 0	8 0	8 0	...	14 8	14 8	17 12	...	...	13 0	...	...	21 12
7	Nuddea* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Khoolna ...	D ...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	13 0	19 0	16 0	16 0	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Jessore ...	E 15 0	14 0	13 0	...	...	...	13 12	12 4	20 0	16 0	16 8	25 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
10	Moorshedabad...	F 19 0	18 0	16 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	23 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
11	Dinagepore ...	14 12	13 4	13 2	13 4	13 4	14 0	14 0	14 0	20 4	15 0	16 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
12	Rajshahye ...	G 16 8 to 17 4	16 8 to 17 4	17 4	24 0	24 0	37 8	9 0 to 10 8	9 0 to 10 8	16 8 to 19 4	14 4	14 4	20 4 to 21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
13	Rungpore ...	H 10 0	10 0	16 0	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	13 5	12 8	12 8	20 0		...	...	...	...	...
14	Bogra* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
15	Pubna ...	I 18 12	18 0	16 8	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	10 0	14 4	13 14	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
16	Darjeeling ...	J 9 0	9 0	8 0	10 0	10 0	8 0	5 0	6 0	5 0	11 0	12 0	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
17	Julpigoree ...	K 10 0	10 0	11 8	20 0	20 0	20 0	13 0	13 0	15 0	16 0	16 0	20 0	...	...		...	...	...
	Eastern Districts.																		
18	Dacca ...	L 16 4	16 0	14 8	16 4	16 0	27 8	13 8	13 8	20 8	15 0	15 0	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
19	Furreedpore ...	M 22 0	22 0	20 0	20 0	30 0	35 0	13 0	13 0	23 0	14 0	14 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
20	Backergunge ...	N ...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	14 0	19 0	18 0	18 0	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
21	Mymensingh ...	O 13 4	13 4	13 0	...	...	...	10 0	11 0	20 0	13 8	16 0	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

* Returns not received.

A In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Culna 14 seers, Cutwa 13½ seers and Raneegunge 13 seers, 5 chittacks.

B In the Bishenpore sub-division the retail price of salt was 13 seers per rupee.

C In the Serampore sub-division the retail price of salt was 13 seers per rupee.

C1 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Baraset and Bussirhat 13 seers, Diamond Harbour 11 seers, Barrackpore 12½ seers and Dum-Dum 12 seers.

D In the Satkhira and Bagirhat sub-divisions the retail prices of salt was 11 seers per rupee.

E In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Jhenida, Magura, and Nagail 12 seers, and Bongong 13 seers.

F In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Lalbagh 11 seers, Junkypore 12½ seers, and Kaudi 12 seers.

G In the Nattore and Nowgong sub-divisions the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Kagi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 seers. Salt.			DISTRICTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		BENGAL.
																		Western Districts.
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S Ch	S Ch	S Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	20 0	20 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 8	13 8	12 6	2-14-6	2-14-6	3-0-8	Burdwan.
...	...	...	29 0	29 0	37 0	17 8	17 8	19 0	280 0	280 0	320 0	12 8	12 0	12 0	3 2	3-3-6	3 4	Bankoora.
...	...	...	...	...	.	17 8	17 0	18 0	200 0	160 0	200 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3-2-6	3-2-6	3 4	Beerbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	Midnapore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 9	13 9	13 9	2 14	2 14	2 14	Hooghly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 8	18 0	18 8	90 0	90 0	80 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	3 0	3 0	2 14	Howrah.
																		Central Districts.
...	...	...	19 8	19 8	29 3	17 0	17 0	18 13	90 0	90 0	90 0	13 0	13 0	14 9	2 12	2 13	2 10	Calcutta.
...	...	...	17 10	17 8	20 0	17 10	17 8	17 12	100 0	90 0	90 0	12 13	12 13	13 5	3 0	3 0	2 14	24-Pergunnahs.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nuddea.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	14 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	10 8	10 8	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 2	Khoolna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	16 0	17 8	120 0	120 0	120 0	10 12	10 12	11 8	3 2	3 2	3 0	Jessore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 0	18 0	22 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	11 8	11 8	12 8	3 0	3 0	3 2	Moorshedabad.
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 12	12 12	16 12	110 0	120 0	160 0	12 0	12 0	11 7	3 4	3 4	3 8	Dinagepore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0 to 17 4	16 0 to 17 4	21 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	12 0	12 0	12 13	3-2-6	3-2 6	3 2	Rajshahye.
...	...	...	...	...	...	13 5	15 0	16 0	110 0	110 0	120 0	11 14	11 14	11 14	3 5	3 5	3 5	Rungpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	Bogra.
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 12	15 8	18 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	12 6	12 6	12 12	3-2-6	3-2-6	3-1-3	Pubna.
13 0	12 0	8 0	18 0	20 0	24 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	128 0	128 0	128 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 8	4 8	4 6	Darjeeling.
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	13 0	14 8	128 0	128 0	128 0	12 4	12 4	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Julpigoree.
																		Eastern Districts
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 8	16 12	17 8	90 0	90 10	90 0	12 8	12 10	12 8	3 1	3 2	3 1	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	20 0	16 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3 5	3 5	3 4	Furreedpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	2 11	2 11	2 11	Backergunge.
...	...	...	...	...	..	15 0	15 0	20 0	...	...	..	12 4	12 4	12 4	3 4	3 4	3 4	Mymensingh.

H In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :- Gaibanda 14 seers, Nilphamari 12 seers.
I In Serajgunge the retail price of salt was 12¼ seers per rupee.
J The retail price of salt at Silliguri was 11 seers per rupee.
K The retail price of salt at Fallacotta in the Alipore sub-division was 10 seers per rupee.
L In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Manickgunge 11 seers, Moonsheegunge 10 seers 10⅜ chittacks and Naraingunge 12 seers.
M In the Goalundo and Madaripore sub-divisions the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.
N In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Patuakhali 10 seers 10 chittacks, Perozepore 11 seers, and Bhola 9 seers.
O In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Kishoregunge 10 seers 10 chittacks, Attea 12 seers, Jamalpore 11¼ seers and Netrokona 12$\frac{6}{16}$ seers.

PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood and Salt in the

RETAIL SALE :—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY THE

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM, JOWAR.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	***Eastern Districts*—(Concluded..**	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
23	Chittagong ...	P 13 0	13 0	11 0	...	...	...	14 0	13 0	17 0	19 0	18 0	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
24	Noakholly ...	Q ...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	22 0	17 0	17 0	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
25	Tipperah ...	R 13 5	12 12	13 4	...	...	...	13 5½	14 8	20 0	16 6½	16 6½	27 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
26	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 4	12 4	14 8	13 5	13 5	17 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah	10 0	10 0	10 0	...	...	...	13 0	14 0	21 0	17 0	18 0	30 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	BEHAR.																		
26	Patna ...	20 0	20 0	17 0	22 0	22 0	32 0	10 10	10 10	14 0	13 0	13 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
27	Gya ...	S 17 0	16 8	20 0	22 0	22 0	22 0	10 0	10 0	12 0	14 0	13 8	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
28	Shahabad* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
29	Durbhunga* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
30	Muzuffurpore ...	† 18 0	18 0	16 0	20 0	20 0	32 0	9 0	9 0	12 0	13 8	13 8	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
31	Sarun ...	U 17 0	18 0	16 8	24 0	24 0	32 0	9 0	9 0	10 0	12 8	13 0	19 10	...	...	...	23 0	24 0	31 0
32	Chumparun* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
33	Monghyr ...	V 18 9	18 10	18 12	21 0	26 4	32 0	10 8	10 8	16 0	12 9	12 9	18 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
34	Bhagulpore ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
35	Purneah ...	W 14 0	17 0	17 0	...	...	...	14 0	15 0	20 0	15 0	16 0	23 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
36	Maldah ...	21 0	20 0	15 0	...	...	...	13 4	12 0	15 0	14 0	14 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
37	Southal Pergns.	X 17 0	17 0	15 0	...	...	...	12 0	14 4	16 0	16 0	17 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	ORISSA.																		
38	Cuttack ...	14 7	14 7	11 13	...	...	...	11 13	13 2	18 6	18 6	18 6	27 9	...	...	...	...	...	...
39	Pooree* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
40	Balasore ...	Y 14 0	14 0	14 0	...	...	...	16 0	13 0	16 0	20 0	18 0	32 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE *South-Western Frontier Agency*																		
41	Hazareebagh ...	Z 14 8	14 0	14 0	...	...	24 0	9 0	9 0	12 0	15 8	15 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
42	Lohardugga ...	13 0	14 0	15 0	15 0	15 0	18 0	14 0	14 0	20 0	18 0	18 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
43	Singbhoom ...	16 0	16 0	16 0	24 0	24 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	28 0	24 0	24 0	32 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
44	Manbhoom ...	Z1 14 0	14 0	13 0	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	18 0	22 0	21 0	27 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

* Returns not received.
† In the interior the retail prices of common rice ranged from 23 seers 10 chittacks to 31½ seers per rupee.
P In the Cox's Bazar sub-division the retail price of salt was 10 seers per rupee.
Q In the Feuny sub-division the retail price of salt was 9 seers per rupee.
R In the Brahmunberiah and Chandpore sub-divisions the retail price of salt was 12½ seers per rupee.
S In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Aurungabad 11¼ seers, Nowada 10 seers.
T In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Seetamurhee 11 seers, and Hajeepore 12½ seers.

SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 seers. Salt.			Districts.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		Eastern Districts.—(Concluded.)
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	R A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	12 0	40 0	40 0	40 0	12 0	12 0	11 4	3 4	3 4	3 8	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	16 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0	3 6	3 6	3 2	Noakholly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 8	14 8	17 12	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Tipperah.
...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	320 0	320 0	320 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 8	4 8	4 8	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
..	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	14 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Hill Tipperah.
																		BEHAR.
...	...	...	22 0	22 0	32 0	21 0	21 0	29 8	100 0	100 0	130 0	10 2	10 2	10 8	3 1	3 1	3 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	23 0	21 8	22 0	180 0	160 0	180 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Gya.
...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Shahabad.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Durbhunga.
...	...	..	20 0	19 8	38 0	18 0	18 0	22 0	140 0	140 0	140 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Monufferpore.
25 0	25 0	32 0	22 8	23 0	30 0	20 0	20 0	27 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	11 8	11 8	11 0	3 5	3-3-6	3 6	Sarun.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chumparun
...	...	...	21 0	21 0	34 0	21 0	21 0	24 8	126 0	126 0	100 0	12 1	12 1	12 4	3-2-5	3-2-5	3 1	Monghyr.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bhagulpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	20 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	10 8	10 0	10 0	3 10	3 10	3 10	Purneah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	21 0	160 0	160 0	120 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 6	3 6	Maldah.
...	...	...	18 0	22 0	40 0	16 0	17 0	18 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	12 0	12 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 7	Sonthal Pergh.
																		ORISSA.
14 7	16 7	14 7	...	...	...	23 10	23 10	22 5	80 0	80 0	80 0	14 0	14 8	14 0	2 12	2 10	2 12	Cuttack.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pooree.
...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	110 0	110 0	120 0	9 0	9 0	12 12	3 14	3 14	3 2	Balasore.
																		CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*
21 0	21 0	27 0	17 0	18 0	24 0	17 0	17 0	17 0	320 0	320 0	240 0	10 8	10 0	10 0	3-7-9	3-8-9	3 10	Hazareebagh.
28 0	28 0	32 0	20 0	20 0	27 0	13 0	13 0	14 0	100 0	100 0	120 0	11 0	11 0	10 0	3 6	3 6	3 10	Lohardugga.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 0	18 0	24 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	4 0	4 0	3 12	Singbhoom.
...	...	...	...	..	48 0	17 0	16 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	10 8	10 0	10 8	3 5	3 6	3 6	Manbhoom.

U In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Sewan 11½ seers and Gopalgunge 12 seers.
V In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Begusarai 11 seers, and Jamui 11½ seers.
W In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Kissengunge 10 seers, and Arrareah (at Ranigunge) 11 seers.
X In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Rajmehal 13 seers, and Godda 11 seers.
Y In the Bhadruck sub-division the retail price of salt was 8 seers per rupee.
Z The retail price of salt at Kharagdiha in the Giridi sub-division was 11½ seers per rupee.
Z1 In the Govindpore sub-division the retail price of salt was 11 seers per rupee.

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PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD, AND SALT IN THE DISTRICTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 29TH FEBRUARY 1884.

PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood and Salt in the

RETAIL SALE:—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY

Number.	DISTRICTS.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice, best sort.			Rice, common.			Bulrush Millet—Cumboo, Bajra.			Great Millet—Cholum, Jowar.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL																		
	Western Districts.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S.Ch.
1	Burdwan ...	A 18 0	16 0	18 0	22 0	23 8	30 0	14 4	14 4	20 8	17 12	16 12	23 12	...	...	..	...	...	...
2	Bankoora ...	B 15 0	15 0	13 8	16 0	16 0	16 0	15 8	15 0	20 0	19 0	18 8	26 8	...	...	..	...	...	...
3	Beerbhoom ...	15 0	15 0	13 12	...	...	...	14 0	12 12	16 8	15 8	15 0	22 8	...	...	..	...	...	...
4	Midnapore ...	C 12 0	12 0	13 0	15 0	15 0	16 0	14 0	14 0	21 0	19 0	18 0	28 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
5	Hooghly ...	D 16 0	14 0	15 8	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	10 0	13 0	13 0	19 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
	Howrah ...	13 12	13 4	13 4	...	...	...	12 4	12 8	16 0	15 0	15 0	22 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
	Central Districts.																		
	Calcutta ..	15 0	12 8	14 0	17 0	15 0	20 0	7 0	7 0	10 12	11 0	11 0	16 0	17 0	19 0	17 0	19 0	20 0	24 8
6	24-Pergunnahs	E 13 5	13 5	13 0	17 10	17 8	20 0	8 0	8 0	...	14 8	14 8	17 12	...	...	13 0	...	...	21 12
7	Nuddea ...	F 16 0	16 0	16 0	24 8	24 8	32 0	12 13	12 13	17 4	13 15	13 14½	18 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Khoolna ..	G ...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	13 0	19 0	16 0	16 0	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Jessore ...	H 15 0	14 0	13 0	...	...	...	12 12	12 4	20 0	16 0	16 8	25 8	...	.	..	...	...	...
10	Moorshedabad...	I 19 0	18 0	16 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	23 8	...	.	..	...	...	...
11	Dinagepore ..	14 12	13 4	13 2	13 4	13 4	14 0	14 0	14 0	20 4	15 0	16 0	24 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
12	Rajshahye ...	J 16 8 to 17 4	16 8 to 17 4	17 4	24 0	24 0	37 8	9 0 to 10 8	9 0 to 10 8	16 8 to 19 4	14 4	14 4	20 4 to 21 0	...	...	..	.	..	...
13	Rungpore ...	K 10 0	10 0	16 0	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	13 5	12 8	12 8	20 0		...	..	...	...	...
14	Bogra ...	12 0	12 12	13 8	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	15 12	15 12	16 8	28 2	...	...	...	...	...	...
15	Pubna ...	L 18 12	18 0	16 8	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	10 0	14 4	13 14	24 0	..	...	..	...	...	...
16	Darjeeling ...	M 9 0	9 0	8 0	10 0	10 0	8 0	5 0	6 0	5 0	11 0	12 0	14 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
17	Julpigoree ...	N 10 0	10 0	11 8	20 0	20 0	20 0	13 0	13 0	15 0	16 0	16 0	20 0	...	...		...	...	...
	Eastern Districts.																		
18	Dacca ...	O 16 4	16 0	14 8	16 4	16 0	27 8	13 8	13 8	20 8	15 0	15 0	25 0	...	...	...	..	...	...
19	Furreedpore ...	P 22 0	22 0	20 0	20 0	30 0	35 0	13 0	13 0	23 0	14 0	14 0	24 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
20	Backergunge ...	Q ...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	14 0	10 0	18 0	18 0	25 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
21	Mymensingh ...	R 13 4	13 4	13 0	...	...	...	10 0	11 0	20 0	13 8	16 0	25 0	...	...	..	...	...	...

A In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Culna 14 seers, Cutwa 13½ seers and Ranegunge 13 seers, 5 chittacks.
B In the Bishenpore sub-division the retail price of salt was 13 seers per rupee.
C In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Ghuttal 14½ seers and Contai 11½ seers.
D In the Serampore sub-division the retail price of salt was 13 seers per rupee.
E In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Baraset and Bussirhat 13 seers, Diamond Harbour 11 seers, Barrackpore 12½ seers and Dum-Dum 12 seers.
F In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kooshtea 13 seers, Meherpore 11½ seers, Choadanga 11½ seers, and Ranaghat 12½ seers.
G In the Satkhira and Bagirhat sub-divisions the retail prices of salt was 11 seers per rupee.
H In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Jhenida, Magura, and Narail 13 seers, and Bongong 13 seers.
I In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Lalbagh 11 seers, Jungypore 12½ seers, and Kaudi 13 seers.
J In the Nattore and Nowgong sub-divisions the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.

Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 29th February 1884.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Jowaree Millet—Lagi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 seers: Salt.			DISTRICTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		BENGAL.
																		Western Districts.
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	20 0	20 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 8	13 8	12 6	2-14-6	2-14-6	3-0-8	Burdwan.
...	...	...	29 0	29 0	37 0	17 8	17 8	19 0	280 0	280 0	320 0	12 8	12 0	12 0	3 2	3-3-6	3 4	Bankoora.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 8	17 0	18 0	200 0	160 0	200 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3-2-6	3-2-6	3 4	Beerbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	17 0	155 0	155 0	155 0	13 0	12 12	13 0	2 14	2 14	2 14	Midnapore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 9	13 9	13 9	2 14	2 14	2 14	Hooghly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 8	18 0	18 8	90 0	90 0	80 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	3 0	3 0	2 14	Howrah.
																		Central Districts.
...	...	...	19 8	19 8	29 3	17 0	17 0	18 13	90 0	90 0	90 0	13 0	13 0	14 9	2 12	2 12	2 10	Calcutta.
...	...	...	17 10	17 8	20 0	17 10	17 8	17 12	100 0	90 0	90 0	12 13	12 13	13 5	3 0	3 0	2 14	24-Pergunnahs.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 13	17 4	22 15	...	...	...	11 10½	11 10½	11 10½	3 0	3 0	3-1-10	Nuddea.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	14 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	10 8	10 8	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 2	Khoolna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	16 0	17 8	120 0	120 0	120 0	10 12	10 12	11 8	3 2	3 2	3 0	Jessore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 0	18 0	23 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	11 8	11 8	2 8	3 0	3 0	3 2	Moorshedabad.
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 12	12 12	16 12	110 0	120 0	160 0	12 0	12 0	11 7	3 4	3 4	3 8	Dinagepore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0 to 17 4	16 0 to 17 4	21 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	12 0	12 0	12 12	3-2-6	3-2 6	3 2	Rajshahye.
...	...	...	...	...	...	13 5	15 0	16 0	110 0	110 0	120 0	11 14	11 14	11 14	3 5	3 5	3 5	Rungpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	9 12	...	13 8	90 0	82 8	67 8	12 0	12 0	12 0	3-2-8	3-2-8	3 4	Bogra.
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 12	15 8	18 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	12 6	12 6	12 12	3-2 6	3-2-6	3-1-3	Pubna.
13 0	12 0	8 0	18 0	20 0	24 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	128 0	128 0	128 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 8	4 8	4 6	Darjeeling
...	..	...	...	...	...	12 0	13 0	14 8	128 0	128 0	128 0	12 4	12 4	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Julpigoree.
																		Eastern Districts
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 8	16 12	17 8	90 0	90 10	90 0	12 8	12 10	12 8	3 1	3 2	3 1	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	20 0	16 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3 5	3 5	3 4	Furreedpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	2 11	2 11	2 11	Backergunge
...	..	...	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	20 0	...	...	...	12 4	12 4	12 4	3 4	3 4	3 4	Mymensingh.

K In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :- Gaibanda 14 seers, Nilphamari 12 seers.
L In Serajgunge the retail price of salt was 12½ seers per rupee.
M The retail price of salt at Silliguri was 11 seers per rupee.
N The retail price of salt at Fallacotta in the Alipore sub-division was 10 seers per rupee.
O In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Manickgunge 11 seers, Moonsheegunge 10 seers 10½ chittacks, and Naraingunge 10 seers.
P In the Goalundo and Madaripore sub-divisions the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.
Q In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Patuakhali 10 seers 10 chittacks, Perozepore 11 seers, and Bhola 9 seers.
R In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kishoregunge 10 seers 10 chittacks, Attea 12 seers, Jamalpore 11½ seers, and Netrokona 12 4/16 seers.

Number.	DISTRICTS.	RETAIL SALE :—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY THE																					
		WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM, JOWAR.					
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.			
	***Eastern Districts.*—(Concluded.)**																						
		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
22	Chittagong ...	S 13 0	13 0	11 0	...	...	...	14 0	13 0	17 0	19 0	18 0	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
23	Noakholly ...	T ...	...	...	...	...	..	15 0	15 0	22 0	17 0	17 0	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
24	Tipperah ...	U 13 5	12 12	13 4	...	...	...	13 5½	14 8	20 0	16 6½	16 6½	27 4	...	...	...	...	...	...				
25	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 4	12 4	14 8	13 5	13 5	17 8	...	...	...	...	...	...				
	Hill Tipperah	10 0	10 0	10 0	...	...	...	13 0	14 0	21 0	17 0	18 0	30 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
	BEHAR.																						
26	Patna ...	20 0	20 0	17 0	22 0	22 0	32 0	10 10	10 10	14 0	13 0	13 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
27	Gya ...	V 17 0	16 8	20 0	22 0	22 0	22 0	10 0	10 0	12 0	14 0	13 8	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
28	Shahabad ...	W 17 8 to 18 0	16 0 to 18 0	16 0 to 18 8	22 0	23 0	30 0	9 0 to 9 8	9 0	11 0 to 11 8	13 8 to 15 0	13 8 to 14 0	18 0 to 18 8	22 0	20 0	31 0	...	...	...				
29	Durbhunga ...	W1 15 6	15 6	14 0	...	...	...	9 12	11 0	13 0	14 4	14 5	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
30	Mozufferpore ...	X 18 0	18 0	16 0	20 0	20 0	32 0	9 0	9 0	12 0	13 8	13 8	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
31	Sarun ...	Y 17 0	18 0	16 8	24 0	24 0	32 0	9 0	9 0	10 0	12 8	13 0	19 10	...	...	...	23 0	24 0	31 0				
32	Chumparun ...	Z ...	...	...	....	...	...	9 0	9 0	15 0	14 8	14 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
33	Monghyr ...	Z1 18 9	18 10	18 12	21 0	26 4	32 0	10 8	10 8	16 0	12 9	12 9	18 12	...	...	...	...	...	...				
34	Bhagulpore ...	Z2 16 6	16 6	16 6	20 3	20 3	...	10 11 old rice. 12 0 new rice.	10 11 old rice. 12 0 new rice	18 15	12 10 old rice. 13 14 new rice.	12 10 old rice. 13 14 new rice.	21 7	...	...	...	...	...	...				
35	Purneah ...	Z3 14 0	17 0	17 0	...	...	...	14 0	15 0	20 0	15 0	16 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
36	Maldah ...	21 0	20 0	15 0	...	...	...	13 4	12 0	15 0	14 0	14 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
37	Sonthal Perghs.	Z4 17 0	17 0	15 0	...	...	...	12 0	14 4	16 0	16 0	17 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
	ORISSA.																						
38	Cuttack ...	14 7	14 7	11 13	...	...	...	11 13	13 2	18 6	18 6	18 6	27 9	...	...	...	...	...	...				
39	Pooree ...	11 13	11 13	13 0	...	...	...	13 2	13 2	17 9	21 0	21 0	32 8	...	...	...	...	...	...				
40	Balasore ...	Z5 14 0	14 0	14 0	...	...	...	16 0	13 0	16 0	20 0	18 0	32 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
	CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*																						
41	Hazareebagh ...	Z6 14 8	14 0	14 0	...	...	24 0	9 0	9 0	12 0	15 8	15 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
42	Lohardugga ...	13 0	14 0	15 0	15 0	15 0	18 0	14 0	14 0	20 0	16 0	16 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
43	Singbhoom ...	16 0	16 0	16 0	24 0	24 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	28 0	24 0	24 0	32 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
44	Manbhoom ...	Z7 14 0	14 0	13 0	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	18 0	22 0	21 0	27 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				

In the interior the retail prices of common rice ranged from 23 seers 10 chittacks to 31½ seers per rupee.

S In the Cox's Bazar sub-division the retail price of salt was 10 seers per rupee.

T In the Feuny sub-division the retail price of salt was 9 seers per rupee.

U In the Brahmunberiah and Chandpore sub-divisions the retail price of salt was 12½ seers per rupee.

V In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Aurungabad 11½ seers, Nowada 10 seers.

W The retail prices of salt per rupee at Sasseram 12 seers, Bhabuah 11 seers, and Buxar 11½ seers.

W 1 The retail prices of salt at Madhubani 11 seers, and Tajpore 12 seers per rupee.

X In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Seetamurhee 11 seers, and Hajeepore 12½ seers.

Y In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Sewan 11½ seers and Gopalgunge 12 seers.

Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 29th February 1884.—(Concld.)

SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 seers. Salt.			Districts.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	R A.	
																		Eastern Districts.—(Concluded.)
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	12 0	40 0	40 0	40 0	12 0	12 0	11 4	3 4	3 4	3 3	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	16 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0	3 6	3 6	3 2	Noakholly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 8	14 3	17 12	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Tipperah.
...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	320 0	320 0	320 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 8	4 8	4 8	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
..	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	14 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Hill Tipperah.
																		BEHAR.
...	...	...	22 0	22 0	32 0	21 0	21 0	29 8	100 0	100 0	130 0	10 2	10 2	10 8	3 1	3 1	3 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	22 0	21 8	22 0	180 0	160 0	180 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Gya.
23 0	...	...	22 0	...	...	21 0 to 22 0	20 0	27 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	12 8	12 8	12 8	3 1	3 1	3 1	Shahabad.
19 12	20 14	35 0	19 2	19 2	32 0	19 13	19 13	21 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	...	12 6	11 0	...	3-1-6	3 10	Durbhunga.
...	...	..	20 0	19 8	38 0	18 0	18 0	22 0	140 0	140 0	140 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Muzufferpore.
25 0	25 0	32 0	22 8	23 0	30 0	20 0	20 0	27 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	11 8	11 8	11 0	3 5	3-3-6	3 6	Saran.
...	...	...	22 0	22 0	40 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 8	11 12	11 0	3 6	3-5-5	...	Chumparun
...	...	...	21 0	21 0	34 0	21 0	21 0	24 8	126 0	126 0	100 0	12 1	12 1	12 4	3-2-5	3-2-5	3 1	Monghyr.
...	...	..	18 4	21 7	32 13	...	19 9	26 8	151 8	151 8	151 8	12 10	12 10	12 10	2-15-6	2-15-6	3 3	Bhagulpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	20 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	10 8	10 0	10 0	3 10	3 10	3 10	Purneah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	21 0	160 0	160 0	120 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 6	3 6	Maldah.
...	...	...	18 0	22 0	40 0	16 0	17 0	18 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	12 0	12 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 7	Sonthal Perguns.
																		ORISSA.
14 7	16 7	14 7	...	...	...	23 10	23 10	22 5	80 0	80 0	80 0	14 0	14 8	14 0	2 12	2 10	2 12	Cuttack.
...	...	...	...	...	...	23 10	23 10	19 11	80 0	80 0	100 0	16 0	14 7	11 4	2 6	2 7	2 12	Pooree.
...	...	...	...	...	.	(Birhi or kalai) 13 0	13 0	16 0	110 0	110 0	120 0	9 0	9 0	13 12	3 14	3 14	3 2	Balasore.
																		CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*
21 0	21 0	27 0	17 0	18 0	24 0	17 0	17 0	17 0	320 0	320 0	240 0	10 8	10 0	10 0	3-7-9	3-8-9	3 10	Hazareebagh.
28 0	28 0	32 0	20 0	20 0	27 0	13 0	13 0	14 0	100 0	100 0	120 0	11 0	11 0	10 0	3 6	3 6	3 10	Lohardugga.
...	...	..	...	...	...	18 0	18 0	24 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	4 0	4 0	3 12	Singbhoom.
...	...	...	...	..	48 0	17 0	16 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	10 8	10 0	10 8	3	3 6	3 6	Manbhoom.

Z The retail prices of salt in the sub-divisions vary from 10 seers to 13 seers per rupee.
Z1 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Bigusarai 11 seers, and Jamui 11½ seers.
Z2 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Banka 12 seers, Muddehpore 11½ seers, and Soopole 11 seers.
Z3 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kissengunge 10 seers, and Arrareah (at Ramgunge) 11 seers.
Z4 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Rajmehal 13 seers, and Godda 11 seers.
Z5 In the Bhadruck sub-division the retail price of salt was 8 seers per rupee.
Z6 The retail price of salt at Kharagdiha in the Giridi sub-division was 11½ seers per rupee.
Z7 In the Govindpore sub-division the retail price of salt was 11 seers per rupee.

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PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD, AND SALT IN THE DISTRICTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 15TH MARCH 1884.

RETAIL SALE:—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM, JOWAR.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL																		
	Western Districts.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
1	Burdwan ...	A 18 0	18 0	18 12	25 0	22 0	22 8	15 0	14 4	20 0	19 4	17 12	23 4	...	...	..	...	...	...
2	Bankoora ...	B 15 0	15 0	14 0	14 0	16 0	16 0	18 0	15 8	20 0	19 0	19 0	26 8	...	...	..	...	...	...
3	Beerbhoom ...	C 15 0	15 0	18 8	...	...	...	13 8	14 0	16 8	16 0	15 8	22 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
4	Midnapore ...	D 12 0	12 0	14 0	15 0	15 0	16 0	14 0	14 0	21 0	18 0	19 0	28 0	...	...	...	...	...	..
5	Hooghly ...	E 16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	10 0	14 0	13 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Howrah ...	14 4	13 12	13 0	...	...	...	12 4	12 4	16 0	15 0	15 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Central Districts.																		
	Calcutta ...	15 0	15 0	14 0	17 0	17 0	16 0	7 8	7 0	10 0	13 0	11 0	16 0	17 0	17 0	16 0	19 0	19 0	24 8
6	24-Pergunnahs	F 13 5	13 5	13 0	17 8	17 10	20 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	14 8	14 8	17 12	...	...	13 0	...	...	21 12
7	Nuddea ...	G 16 12	16 0	...	...	24 8	...	13 15½	12 13	17 4½	13 15	13 15	18 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Khoolna ...	H ...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	18 0	16 0	16 0	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Jessore ...	I 14 8	15 0	11 12	...	...	...	12 12	12 12	18 0	16 0	16 0	22 11	...	..	..	...	...	..
10	Moorshedabad...	J 19 0	19 0	16 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	23 8	...	..	..	...	...	...
11	Dinagepore ..	K 19 1	14 12	16 4	13 0	13 4	13 4	16 8	14 0	19 4	17 8	15 0	23 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
12	Rajshahye	L 18 0	16 8 to 17 4	17 8	26 0	24 0	37 8	12 0	9 0 to 10 8	16 4 to 19 0	14 8	14 4	20 8 to 21 4	..	...	.	.	.	...
13	Rungpore ...	M 10 0	10 0	16 0	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	13 5	12 8	12 8	16 0		...	..	...	...	...
14	Bogra ...	12 12	12 0	15 15	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	15 0	15 12	15 12	26 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
15	Pubna ...	N 18 12	18 12	17 4	...	...	...	8 4	8 0	10 0	14 10	14 4	22 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
16	Darjeeling ...	O ...	9 0	8 0	...	10 0	8 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	10 0	11 0	10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
17	Julpigoree ...	P 10 0	10 0	11 8	20 0	20 0	20 0	13 0	13 0	15 0	16 0	15 0	20 0	...	...	.	...	...	...
	Eastern Districts.																		
18	Dacca ...	Q 15 0	16 4	14 8	26 0	16 4	27 8	13 0	13 8	19 0	15 0	15 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
19	Furreedpore ...	R 22 0	22 0	20 0	30 0	20 0	30 0	13 0	13 0	23 0	14 0	14 0	24 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
20	Backergunge ...	S ...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	19 0	18 0	18 0	25 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
21	Mymensingh ...	T 13 4	13 4	12 8	...	...	...	12 0	10 0	23 0	14 8	13 8	25 0	...	...	..	...	...	...

A In the sub divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Culna 14 seers, Cutwa 13¾ seers and Ranegunge 13½ seers.
B The retail price of salt in the Bishenpore sub-division was 13 seers per rupee.
C In the interior the retail prices of salt were from 11¾ to 13¾ seers per rupee.
D In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Ghattal 14½ seers and Contai 11½ seers.
E In the sub divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Serampore 14½ seers, and Jehanabad 13½ seers.
F In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Baraset and Bussirhat 15 seers, Diamond Harbour 11 seers, and Barrackpore 12-12 seers
G In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Kooshtea 13 seers, Meherpore 11½ seers, Chooadanga 11½ seers, and Ranaghat 12½ seers.
H In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Satkhira 11 seers and Bagerhat 11 seers
I In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Jhenedah, Magurah and Narail 12 seers and Bongong 13 seers.
J In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Lalbagh 11 seers, Jungypore 12-8 seers, and Kandi 12 seers.
K The retail prices of salt per rupee were :—At Neetpore 10 seers, and Raigunge 11½ seers..

Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 15th March 1884.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 seers. Salt.			DISTRICTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		BENGAL.
																		Western Districts.
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	24 0	20 0	26 4	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 8	13 8	12 0	2-14-6	2-14-6	3 0-0	Burdwan.
...	...	...	29 0	29 0	36 8	18 0	17 8	19 0	280 0	280 0	320 0	13 0	12 8	12 0	3 2	3 2	3 4	Bankoora.
...	...	...	...	...	..	16 8	17 8	19 0	160 0	200 0	200 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3-2-6	3-2-6	3-5-3	Beerbhoom
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	155 0	155 0	155 0	12 12	13 0	13 0	2 14	2 14	2 14	Midnapore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	19 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 9	13 9	13 9	2 14	2 14	2 14	Hooghly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 0	17 8	19 0	90 0	90 0	80 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	3 0	3 0	2 14	Howrah
																		Central Districts.
...	...	...	10 8	19 8	23 2	18 10	17 0	18 13	90 0	90 0	90 0	13 0	13 0	14 9	2 12	2 12	2 10	Calcutta.
...	...	...	17 8	17 10	20 0	17 8	17 10	17 12	90 0	100 0	90 0	12 13	12 13	13 5	3 0	3 0	2 14	24-Pergunnahs
...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	18 13	22 1	...	...	...	11 10½	11 10½	11 10½	3 0	3 0	3-1-10	Nuddea.
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	16 0	14 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	10 8	10 8	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 2	Khoolna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	10 12	10 12	11 8	3 2	3 2	3 0	Jessore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 8	18 0	22 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	11 8	11 8	12 8	3 0	3 0	3 2	Moorshedabad.
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 12	12 12	16 12	120 0	110 0	180 0	12 0	12 0	11 8	3 4	3 4	3 6	Dinagepore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 8	16 0 to 17 4	22 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	12 0	12 0	12 12	3-2-6	3-2 6	3 2	Rajshahye.
...	...	...	...	...	...	13 5	13 5	16 0	110 0	110 0	120 0	11 14	11 14	11 14	3 5	3 5	3 5	Rungpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	10 8	9 12	13 8	90 0	90 0	67 8	12 0	12 0	12 0	3-2-8	3-2-8	3 2	Bogra.
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 12	15 12	18 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	12 4	12 6	13 6	3-2 9	3-2-6	3-1-3	Pubna.
13 0	13 0	9 0	18 0	18 0	26 0	10 0	8 0	10 0	128 0	128 0	128 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 4	4 8	4 6	Darjeeling
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	14 8	128 0	128 0	128 0	12 4	12 4	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Julpigoree.
																		Eastern Districts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 0	16 8	17 0	90 0	90 0	80 0	12 8	13 8	12 4	3 2	3 1	3 2	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	20 0	16 8	130 0	120 0	120 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3 5	3 5	3 4	Furreedpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	2 11	2 11	2 11	Backergunge
...	...	...	...	...	...	13 8	15 0	18 8	...	...	...	12 8	12 4	12 4	3 3	3 4	3 4	Mymensingh.

L The retail price of salt at Nattore and Nowgong was 12 seers per rupee.
M In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kurigram 13 seers, Nilphamari 12 seers, and Gaibanda 14 seers.
N The retail price of salt at Serajgunge was 13 seers per rupee.
O The retail prices of salt per rupee were:—At Kurseong 8 seers and Silliguri 11½ seers.
P The retail price of salt at Fallacotta was 10 seers per rupee
Q In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Manickgunge 11 seers, Mounsheegunge 10 seers 10⅝ chittacks, and Naraingunge 13 seers.
R In the Coolundo and Madaripore sub-divisions the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.
S In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Jessuakhali 10⅝ seers, Perozepore 11 seers, and Bhola 10 seers.
T In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Futtehgunge 10⅝ seers, Atteo 12 seers, Jamalpore 11½ seers and Nettrokona 12⅛ seers.

RETAIL SALE :—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY THE

Number.	DISTRICTS.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice, best sort.			Rice, common.			Bulrush Millet—Cumboo, Bajra.			Great Millet—Cholum, Jowar.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	***Eastern Districts.*—(Concluded.)**																		
		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
22	Chittagong ...	U 13 0	13 0	12 0	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	17 0	19 0	19 0	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
23	Noakholly ...	V ...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	15 0	22 0	18 0	17 0	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
24	Tipperah ...	W 13 5	13 5	13 0	...	...	...	14 3	13 5½	20 0	16 8	16 6½	26 10	...	...	...	...	...	...
25	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 5	12 4	14 8	14 8	13 5	17 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah	12 0	10 0	10 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	20 0	17 0	17 0	28 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	BEHÁR.																		
29	Patna ...	20 0	20 0	17 8	22 0	22 0	32 0	10 10	10 10	14 0	13 0	13 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
27	Gya ...	X 16 8	17 0	20 0	21 0	22 0	22 0	10 0	10 0	12 8	14 0	14 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
28	Shahabad ...	Y 17 12 to 19 0	17 8 to 18 0	18 8	23 0	22 0	26 0	9 0	9 0 to 9 8	11 8	14 0 to 15 0	13 8 to 15 0	18 0 to 19 0	24 0	22 0	30 0	...	...	30 0
29	Durbhunga ...	Z 15 15	15 6	14 0	23 0	...	40 0	10 12	9 12	12 0	14 4	14 4	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
30	Mozufferpore ...	Z1 17 0	18 0	17 0	22 0	20 0	30 0	11 0	9 0	12 0	14 0	13 8	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
31	Sarun ...	Z2 17 0	17 0	15 8	23 0	24 0	32 0	8 0	9 0	10 0	12 0	12 8	19 0	...	...	...	23 0	23 0	32 0
32	Chumparun ...	Z3 16 0	...	16 0	...	...	26 0	9 0	9 0	15 0	14 8	14 8	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
33	Monghyr ...	Z4 18 14	18 9	16 12	21 0	21—0	29 7	11 9	10 8	13 10	12 9	12 9	16 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
34	Bhagulpore ...	Z5 16 6	16 6	16 6	20 3	20 3	...	10 11 old rice. 12 0 new rice.	10 11 old rice. 12 0 new rice.	17 0	12 10 old rice. 13 14 new rice.	12 10 old rice. 13 14 new rice.	20 3	...	...	...	...	...	...
35	Purneah ...	Z6 14 0	14 0	16 0	...	...	...	13 0	14 0	19 0	14 0	15 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
36	Maldah ...	21 0	21 0	17 0	...	...	...	11 0	13 4	19 0	13 0	14 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
37	Southal Perghs.	Z7 17 0	17 0	15 0	...	...	...	13 0	12 0	16 0	17 0	16 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	ORISSA.																		
38	Cuttack ...	15 12	14 7	15 1	...	...	...	13 2	11 13	17 1	19 11*	18 6	26 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
39	Pooree ...	Z8 15 12	11 13	13 2	...	...	...	15 12	13 2	26 4	23 10	21 0	32 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
40	Balasore ...	Z9 14 0	14 0	14 0	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	20 0	20 0	32 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE *South-Western Frontier Agency*																		
41	Hazareebagh ...	Z10 15 0	14 8	15 0	...	...	24 0	9 0	9 0	12 0	15 0	15 8	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
42	Lohardugga ...	14 0	13 0	17 0	20 0	15 0	26 0	14 0	14 0	20 0	18 0	18 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
43	Singhbhoom ...	16 0	16 0	16 0	24 0	24 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	28 0	24 0	24 0	32 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
44	Manbhoom ...	Z11 14 0	14 0	13 0	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	18 0	22 0	22 0	27 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

* In the interior the retail prices of common rice ranged from 23 seers 10 chittacks to 31½ seers per rupee.

U The retail price of salt in the Cox's Bazar sub-division was 10 seers per rupee.

V In the interior the retail prices of salt were from 9 to 12 seers per rupee.

W The retail price of salt in Chandpore was 12½ seers per rupee.

X The retail price of salt in Aurungabad was 11½ seers per rupee.

Y In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Sasseram 12 seers, Buxar 11½ seers, and Bhabuah 11 seers.

Z In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Madhubani 11 seers, and Tajpore 12 seers.

Z1 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Seetamurhee 11 seers, and Hajeepore 12 seers

Z2 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Sewán 11½ seers and Gopalgunge 12 seers.

SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lessre Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 seers. Salt.			Districts.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		***Eastern Districts.*—(Concluded.)**
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	R A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	12 0	40 0	40 0	190 0	12 0	12 0	9 0	3 4	3 4	4 0	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	16 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0	3 6	3 6	3 2	Noakhally.
...	...	...	...	...	...	13 3½	14 8	17 10	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	12 4	3 4	3 4	3 4	Tipperah.
...	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	320 0	320 0	320 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 8	4 8	4 8	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	14 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Hill Tipperah.
																		BEHAR.
...	...	...	22 0	22 0	32 0	21 0	21 0	29 8	100 0	100 0	130 0	10 2	10 2	10 8	3 1	3 1	3 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	21 0	22 0	21 0	180 0	180 0	160 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Gya.
22 8	23 0	...	21 0	22 0	..	23 0	21 0 to 22 0	27 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	12 8	12 8	12 8	3 1	3 1	3 1	Shahabad.
22 0	19 12	35 0	20 15	9 2	35 0	...	19 13	20 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	12 0	12 0	...	3-2-11	3-2-11	...	Durbhunga.
...	...	..	20 0	20 0	40 0	18 0	18 0	25 0	140 0	140 0	140 0	12 0	12 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 8	Muzufferpore.
24 0	25 0	32 0	23 4	22 8	31 0	20 0	20 0	25 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	11 0	11 8	11 0	3 5	3 5	3 6	Sarun.
...	..	...	22 0	22 0	...	19 0	...	19 0	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	11 0	3 6	3 6	3 5	Chumparun.
...	..	.	20 8	21 0	31 8	24 2	21 0	25 3	126 0	126 0	147 0	12 9	12 1	12 1	3-0-9	3-2-5	3-2-6	Monghyr.
...	..	..	8 15	18 4	31 9	20 3	19 8	26 8	151 8	151 8	138 14	12 10	12 10	12 10	3 0	2-15-6	3 2-9	Bhaguipore.
...	...	..		...	...	17 0	17 0	20 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	10 8	10 8	10 0	3 6	3 10	3 12	Purneah.
..	...	...	...	...	...	18 0	16 0	22 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	12 0	11 0	11 0	3-4-6	3 4	3 10	Maldah.
...	...	...	18 0	18 0	40 0	16 0	16 0	17 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	12 0	12 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 7	Sonthal Perg.s.
																		ORISSA.
14 7	14 7	13 12	...	..	...	23 10	23 10	22 5	80 0	80 0	80 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	2 12	2 12	2 12	Cuttack.
...	...	...	...	...	...	23 10	23 10	18 6	80 0	80 0	100 0	16 0	16 0	11 4	2 6	2 6	2 12	Pooree.
...	..	...	..	..		13 0	13 0	16 0	110 0	110 0	120 0	9 0	9 0	12 3	3 14	3 14	3 2	Balasore.
																		CHOTA NAGPORE.
21 0	21 0	27 0	18 0	17 0	24 0	16 0	17 0	18 0	320 0	320 0	240 0	11 0	10 8	10 0	3-4-9	3-7-9	3 10	Hazareebagh.
28 0	28 0	32 0	20 0	20 0	26 0	14 0	13 0	14 0	100 0	100 0	120 0	11 0	11 0	10 0	3 6	3 6	3 10	Lomsrunga.
...	..	...	...	...	...	16 0	18 0	24 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	4 0	4 0	3 12	Singhboom.
...	..	..	...	..	48 0	17 0	17 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	10 8	10 8	10 8	3	3 8	3 6	Manbhoom.

Z3 The retail prices of salt in the interior were from 10 to 13 seers per rupee.
Z4 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Bagusoai 11 seers, and Jamui 11½ seers.
Z5 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Banka 12 seers, Muddehpore 10½ seers, and Soopole 11 seers.
Z6 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kissengunge 10 seers, and Arrareah (at Ranigunge 11 seers.
Z7 The retail price of salt in Dumka and Rajmehal was 11 seers per rupee.
Z8 The retail price of salt in the Khoorda sub-division was 16 seers per rupee.
Z9 In the Bhadruck sub-division the retail price of salt was 8 seers per rupee.
Z10 The retail price of salt at Kharagdiha in the Giridi sub-division was 11½ seers per rupee.
Z11 The retail price of salt in the Govindpore sub-division was 11 seers per rupee.

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PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD, AND SALT IN THE DISTRICTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 31st MARCH 1884.

PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood and Salt in the

RETAIL SALE:—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM, JOWAR.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL																		
	Western Districts.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
1	Burdwan ...	A 18 0	18 0	14 9	30 0	25 0	20 0	14 8	15 0	19 8	19 0	19 4	24 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
2	Bankoora ...	B 16 0	15 0	15 0	21 0	14 0	17 0	18 0	18 0	19 8	19 0	19 0	25 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
3	Beerbhoom ...	C 15 0	15 0	13 8	...	...	...	14 4	13 8	16 8	16 4	16 0	22 8	...	...	..	...	...	...
4	Midnapore ...	D 12 0	12 0	15 0	15 0	15 0	16 0	14 0	14 0	21 0	19 0	18 0	28 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
5	Hooghly ...	E 16 0	16 0	15 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	10 0	14 0	14 0	19 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
	Howrah ...	14 8	14 4	13 4	...	...	...	12 8	12 4	16 0	15 0	15 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Central Districts.																		
	Calcutta ...	12 8 F	15 0	14 9	17 0	17 0	20 0	7 8	7 8	10 12	13 0	13 0	16 0	16 0	17 0	16 0	19 0	19 0	24 8
6	24-Pergunnahs	13 5	13 5	13 8	19 0	17 8	18 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	14 8	14 8	18 0	...	...	13 5	...	...	20 0
7	Nuddea ...	G 17 4	16 12	15 3½	22 15	...	...	13 15½	13 15½	16 1	14 8	13 15	18 4½	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Khoolna ...	H ...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	18 0	16 0	16 0	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Jessore ...	I 14 0	14 8	12 0	...	...	...	13 0	12 12	17 0	16 0	16 0	23 8	...	..	...	...	...	...
10	Moorshedabad...	20 0	19 0	16 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	15 4	16 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
11	Dinagepore ..	19 4	19 4	16 0	13 0	13 0	13 4	16 8	16 8	19 4	17 8	17 8	23 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
12	Rajshahye ...	J {15 0 to 20 10}	18 0	18 0	27 0	26 0	45 0	12 0	12 0	{17 4 to 18 0}	14 4	14 8	{18 0 to 21 0}	...	...	...	...	..	...
13	Rungpore ...	K 10 0	10 0	16 0	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	13 5	12 8	12 8	20 0		...	...	...	...	...
14	Bogra ...	12 12	12 12	13 8	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	13 8	15 0	15 12	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
15	Pubna ...	L 22 8	18 12	19 8	...	..	...	8 4	8 4	10 0	15 0	14 10	19 8	...	...	..	...	..	
16	Darjeeling ...	...	...	8 0	...	..	8 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	10 0	10 0	12 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
17	Julpigoree ...	M 10 0	10 0	10 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	13 0	13 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	20 0	...	...		..	...	...
	Eastern Districts.																		
18	Dacca ...	N 16 4	15 0	14 8	16 0	26 0	24 0	13 8	13 0	15 12	15 0	15 0	19 4	...	...	...	.	...	..
19	Furreedpore ...	O 19 0	22 0	22 0	35 0	30 0	35 0	14 0	13 0	22 0	15 0	14 0	24 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
20	Backergunge ...	P. ...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	19 0	18 0	18 0	23 0	.	...	...	...	...	...
21	Mymensingh ...	Q 13 4	13 4	12 8	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	20 0	14 8	14 8	23 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

A In the sub divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Culna 14 seers, Cutwa 13½ seers and Raneegunge 13½ seers.
B The retail price of salt at Bishenpore was 13 seers per rupee.
C In the interior the retail prices of salt were 16 seers per rupee. Ranigunge Jhoria 12 & 13½ seers per rupee
D In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Ghattal 14½ seers and Contai 11½ seers.
E In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Jehanabad 13½ seers, and Serampore 13 seers.
F In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Baraset and Bussirhat 13 seers, Barrackpore 12¾ seers, Dum-Dum 12 seers, and Diamond Harbour 11 seers.
G In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Kooshtea and Chooadanga 13 seers, Meherpore 11½ seers, and Ranaghat 12 seers 14 chittacks.
H In the Sarkhira and Bagirhat sub-divisions the retail price of salt was 11 seers per rupee.
I In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Jhenidah, Magurah and Narail 12 seers and Bongong 13 seers.

Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 31st March 1884.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 seers. Salt.			DISTRICTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		BENGAL.
																		Western Districts.
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	22 0	24 0	23 1	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 14	13 8	12 0	2 14	2-14-6	3 0	Burdwan.
...	...	...	29 0	29 0	36 8	18 0	18 0	18 8	280 0	280 0	300 0	13 0	13 0	12 0	...	3 2	...	Bankoora.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 0	16 8	22 8	160 0	160 0	200 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3-2-6	3-2-3	3-4-3	Beerbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	16 0	17 0	155 0	155 0	155 0	13 0	12 12	13 0	2 14	2 14	2 14	Midnapore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	19 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 9	13 9	13 9	2 14	2 14	2 14	Hooghly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 0	18 0	17 12	80 0	90 0	80 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	3 0	3 0	2 14	Howrah.
																		Central Districts.
...	...	...	19 8	19 8	26 10	18 10	18 10	17 12	90 0	90 0	90 0	13 0	13 0	14 9	2 12	2 12	2 10	Calcutta.
...	...	16 0	20 0	17 8	18 0	17 8	17 8	18 0	90 0	90 0	90 0	12 13	12 13	13 5	3 0	3 0	2 14	24-Pergunnahs.
...	...	...	...	...	...	[illegible]	20 0	24 9½	...	...	...	11 10½	11 10½	11 10½	3 0	3 0	3 0	Nuddea.
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	14 0	200 0	200 0	180 0	10 8	10 8	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 2	Khoolna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	24 0	25 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	10 12	10 12	11 8	3 2	3 2	3 0	Jessore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	26 0	18 8	22 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	11 8	11 8	12 8	3 4	3 0	3 2	Moorshedabad.
...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	12 12	16 12	120 0	120 0	180 0	12 0	12 0	11 8	3 4	3 4	3 6	Dinagepore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 8	17 8	22 8	240 0	240 0	240 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3-2-6	3-2 6	...	Rajshahye.
...	...	...	...	...	...	13 5	13 5	16 0	110 0	110 0	110 0	11 14	11 14	11 14	3 5	3 5	3 5	Rungpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	10 8	10 8	15 0	90 0	90 0	67 8	12 0	12 0	10 8	3-2-8	3-2-8	3 8	Bogra.
...	...	...	...	...	...	24 0	15 12	18 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	12 4	12 4	13 6	3-2 9	3-2-9	3-2-6	Pubna.
12 0	13 0	9 0	16 0	18 0	26 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	128 0	128 0	128 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 6	4 4	4 6	Darjeeling.
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	14 8	128 0	128 0	128 0	12 4	12 4	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Julpigoree.
																		Eastern Districts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 4	18 0	16 13	90 0	90 0	90 0	12 8	12 8	12 8	3 2	3 2½	3 1	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	19 0	20 0	16 8	120 0	120 0	120 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3 2	3 5	3 2	Furreedpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	2 11	2 11	2 11	Backergunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	13 8	13 8	16 0	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	11 8	3 3	3 3	3 6	Mymensingh.

J In the Nattore and Nowgong sub-divisions the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.
K In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :— Gaibanda 14 seers and Nilphamari 12 seers.
L The retail price of salt at Serajgunge was 13 seers per rupee.
M The retail price of salt at Fallicotta in the Alipore sub-division was 10 seers per rupee.
N In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Maniekgunge 11 seers, Moonsheegunge 10 seers 10⅔ chittacks, and Narsingunge 13 seers.
O In the Goalundo and Madaripore sub-divisions the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.
P In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Perozepore 11 seers, Patuakhali 10 seers 10 chittacks and Bhola 10 seers.
Q In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Kishoregunge 10 seers 10 chittacks, Attea 12 seers, Jamalpore 11½ seers, and Netrokona 12 seers 5 chittacks.

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RETAIL SALE:—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY THE

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM, JOWAR.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	Eastern Districts.—(Concluded.)	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
22	Chittagong ...	R 12 0	13 0	12 0	...	...	...	13 0	14 0	13 0	17 0	19 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
23	Noakholly ...	S ...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	22 0	18 0	18 0	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
24	Tipperah ...	T 13 5	13 5	12 4	...	...	...	14 8	14 3	20 8	17 8	16 8	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
25	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 5	13 5	16 0	16 0	14 8	17 14	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah	12 0	12 0	10 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	20 0	18 0	17 0	27 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	BEHAR.																		
26	Patna ...	22 0	20 0	17 8	25 0	22 0	32 0	12 0	10 10	14 0	15 0	13 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
27	Gya ...	U 17 0	16 8	22 0	22 0	21 0	24 0	10 0	10 0	12 8	14 0	14 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
28	Shahabad ...	V 18 0 to 19 0	17 12 to 19 0	16 0 to 18 0	24 0	23 0	26 0	8 0 to 9 0	9 0	11 0 to 13 0	13 0 to 14 0	14 0 to 15 0	18 0 to 19 0	24 0	24 0	32 0	23 0	...	30 0
29	Durbhunga ...	W 16 8	15 15	15 0	...	23 0	35 0	11 0	10 12	12 0	14 5	14 4	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
30	Mozufferpore ...	X 17 0	17 0	21 0	21 0	22 0	35 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	13 8	14 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
31	Sarun ...	Y 17 8	17 0	16 8	24 0	23 0	32 0	8 0	8 0	10 0	12 0	12 0	18 8	...	...	...	26 0	23 0	34 0
32	Chumparun ...	Z 18 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	40 0	9 0	9 0	15 0	14 0	14 8	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
33	Monghyr ...	Z1 21 0	18 14	18 14	21 0	21 0	27 13	11 9	11 9	14 11	13 15	12 9	16 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
34	Bhagulpore ...	Z2 16 6	16 6	16 6	20 3	20 3	31 9	10 11 old rice. 12 0 new rice.	10 11 old rice. 12 0 new rice.	16 6	12 10 old rice. 13 4 new rice.	12 10 old rice. 13 14 new rice.	17 11	...	...	...	...	...	...
35	Purneah ...	Z3 17 0	14 0	17 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	18 0	14 0	14 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
36	Maldah ...	21 0	21 0	18 0	29 0	...	...	12 0	11 0	19 0	15 0	13 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
37	Sonthal Perghs.	Z4 16 0	17 0	15 0	...	...	...	14 4	13 0	16 0	17 0	17 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	ORISSA.																		
38	Cuttack ...	18 6	15 12	11 13	...	...	...	13 2	13 2	17 1	18 6*	19 11	26 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
39	Pooree ...	15 12	15 12	13 2	...	...	...	15 12	15 12	26 9	22 5	23 10	32 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
40	Balasore ...	Z5 14 0	14 0	14 0	13 0	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	21 8	20 0	32 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*																		
41	Hazareebagh ...	Z6 15 0	15 0	18 0	...	...	24 0	10 0	9 0	12 0	15 0	15 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
42	Lohardugga ...	15 0	14 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	24 0	14 0	14 0	18 0	18 0	18 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
43	Singbhoom ...	16 0	16 0	16 0	24 0	24 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	28 0	24 0	24 0	32 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
44	Manbhoom ...	Z7 14 0	14 0	16 0	25 0	...	...	16 0	15 0	18 0	22 0	22 0	27 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

* In the interior the prices of rice ranged from 23⅓ seers to 26¼ seers per rupee.

R In the Cox's Bazar sub-division best rice sells at 17 seers, common rice at 21 seers, firewood at 21 seers, and salt at 10 seers per rupee.

S In the interior the retail prices of salt were from 9 to 12½ seers per rupee.

T In the Brahmunberiah and Chandpore sub-divisions the retail prices of salt was 12½ seers per rupee.

U The retail price of salt in Newadah was 10 seers per rupee.

V In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Sasseram 12 seers, Buxar 11½ seers, and Bhabuah 11 seers.

W In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Tejpore 12 seers, and Madhubani 11 seers.

X In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Seetamurhee 11 seers, and Hajeepore 12½ seers; while in the interior the prices ranged from 9 to 12 seers per rupee.

Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 31st March 1884.—(Concld.)

SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Kagi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 seers. Salt.			DISTRICTS.
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																		Eastern Districts.—(Concluded.)
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	12 0	16 0	40 0	40 0	120 0	11 0	12 0	9 0	3 4	3 4	4 4	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	16 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0	3 6	3 6	3 2	Noakholly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 3	13 3½	16 0	...	...	...	12 4	12 0	12 4	3 3	3 4	3 0	Tipperah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	320 0	320 0	320 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 8	4 8	4 8	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	14 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Hill Tipperah.
																		BEHAR.
...	...	...	25 0	22 0	32 0	25 0	21 0	29 8	100 0	100 0	130 0	10 8	10 2	10 8	2 14	3 1	3 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	22 0	21 0	21 0	180 0	180 0	180 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Gya.
...	22 8	...	25 0	21 0	..	24 0	23 0	25 0 to 26 0	120 0	120 0	130 0	12 0	12 8	12 8	3 1	3 1	3 1	Shahabad.
20 14	22 0	40 0	20 14	20 15	35 0	20 0	...	20 0	176 0	160 0	160 0	12 0	12 0	11 0	3-2-11	3-2-11	3 10	Durbhunga.
...	...	..	20 8	20 0	40 0	19 0	18 0	22 0	140 0	140 0	140 0	13 0	12 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Mozufferpore.
24 0	24 0	32 0	23 4	23 4	32 0	20 8	20 0	26 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	11 8	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 5	3 6	Sarun.
...	...	...	22 0	22 0	41 0	19 0	19 0	20 0	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	11 0	3 6	3 6	3 5	Chumparun.
...	...	...	23 1	20 8	33 9	24 6	24 2	26 12	126 0	126 0	126 0	13 2	12 9	12 1	2-15-9	3-0-9	3-3-2	Monghyr.
...	...	...	20 3	18 15	31 9	20 3	20 3	26 8	151 8	151 8	138 14	12 10	12 10	12 10	3 0	3 0	3-2-9	Bhagulpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	18 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	10 8	10 8	10 8	3 10	3 6	3 12	Purneah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	22 0	18 0	20 0	140 0	160 0	140 0	11 0	12 0	11 0	3 6	3-4-6	3 8	Maldah.
...	...	...	18 0	18 0	35 0	16 0	16 0	17 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	12 0	12 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 7	Sonthal Pergls.
																		ORISSA
10 8	14 7	13 2	...	...	...	23 10	23 10	22 5	80 0	80 0	80 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	2 12	2 12	2 12	Cuttack.
...	...	...	...	...	...	21 0	23 10	15 11	80 0	80 0	108 0	16 0	16 0	11 4	...	2 6	2 12	Pooree.
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	13 0	16 0	120 0	110 0	120 0	9 12	9 0	12 3	3 12	3 14	3 2	Balasore.
																		CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*
16 0	21 0	27 0	16 0	18 0	24 0	17 0	16 0	18 0	320 0	320 0	240 0	10 8	11 0	11 0	3-5-3	3-4-9	3 10	Hazareebagh.
28 0	28 0	40 0	18 0	20 0	32 0	16 0	14 0	16 0	100 0	100 0	120 0	10 0	11 0	10 0	3 10	3 6	3 10	Lohardugga.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	24 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	4 0	4 0	3 12	Singbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	48 0	17 8	17 0	22 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	10 8	10 8	10 8	3 7	3 8	3 6	Manbhoom.

Y In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Sewan 11½ seers and Gopalgunge 12 seers.
Z The retail prices of salt in the interior were 9 to 12½ seers per rupee.
Z1 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Biguseral 11 seers, and Jamui 11½ seers.
Z2 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Banka 12 seers, Soopole 11 seers, and Muddehpore 10½ seers.
Z3 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kissengunge 10 seers, and Arrareah 11 seers.
Z4 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Deoghur 12½ seers, [illegible], and Godda 11 seers.
Z5 In the Bhadruck sub-division the retail price of salt was 8 seers per rupee.
Z6 The retail price of salt at Kharagdiha in the Giridi sub-division was 11½ seers per rupee.
Z7 In the Govindpore sub-division the retail price of salt was 11 seers per rupee.

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PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD, AND SALT IN THE DISTRICTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 15TH APRIL 1884.

RETAIL SALE:—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM, JOWAR.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL																		
	Western Districts.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
1	Burdwan ...	A 18 0	18 0	15 7	32 0	30 0	26 4	14 0	14 8	18 12	18 0	19 0	24 12	...	...	..	...	...	...
2	Bankoora ...	B 16 8	16 0	14 0	19 0	21 0	19 0	16 0	18 0	20 0	19 0	19 0	24 8	...	...	..	...	...	...
3	Beerbhoom ...	C 16 8	15 0	15 0	...	...	...	14 4	14 4	16 0	16 8	16 4	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
4	Midnapore ...	D 12 0	12 0	17 0	15 0	15 0	16 0	14 0	14 0	21 0	18 0	19 0	27 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
5	Hooghly ...	E 16 0	16 0	15 0	15 0	...	...	8 0	8 0	10 0	14 0	14 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Howrah ...	14 8	14 8	13 0	...	...	...	12 4	12 8	16 0	14 8	15 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Central Districts.																		
	Calcutta ...	15 0	12 8	15 5	17 0	17 0	23 2	7 8	7 8	10 12	13 0	13 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	...	19 0	19 0	24 8
6	24-Pergunnahs	E1 13 5	13 5	13 5	20 0	19 0	20 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	14 8	14 8	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
7	Nuddea ...	F 17 4	17 4	15 3½	22 15	22 15	...	13 5½	13 5½	16 13	14 8	14 8	18 4½	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Khoolna ...	G ...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	17 0	16 0	16 0	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Jessore ...	H 15 0	14 0	14 0	...	...	...	12 12	13 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	22 8	...	.	..	...	...	...
10	Moorshedabad...	H1 20 0	20 0	17 0	...	...	...	12 0	13 0	16 0	14 8	15 4	21 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
11	Dinagepore ...	19 3	19 4	15 12	...	13 0	14 8	16 0	16 8	18 0	16 3	17 8	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
12	Rajshahye ...	I 16 0 to 21 0	15 0 to 20 10	18 0	30 0	27 0	37 8	12 0	12 0	16 8 to 18 0	13 2	14 4	18 0 to 18 12	...	...	.	..	..	...
13	Rungpore ...	J 10 9	10 0	20 0	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	13 5	13 5	12 8	20 0		...	...	...	...	...
14	Bogra ...	12 12	12 12	15 0	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	15 0	15 0	15 0	22 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
15	Pubna ...	K 25 0	22 8	18 6	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	9 0	14 6	15 0	18 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
16	Darjeeling ...	L ...	...	8 0	10 0	...	8 0	6 0	5 0	5 0	11 0	10 0	11 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
17	Julpigoree ...	M 10 0	10 0	10 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	13 0	13 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	20 0	...	...		...	...	...
	Eastern Districts.																		
18	Dacca ...	N 16 4	16 4	14 8	18 0	16 0	24 0	13 0	13 8	16 4	14 0	15 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
19	Furreedpore ...	O 21 0	19 0	24 0	30 0	35 0	37 0	14 0	14 0	22 0	15 0	15 0	23 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
20	Backergunge ...	P ...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	19 0	18 0	18 0	23 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
21	Mymensingh ...	Q 13 4	13 4	12 0	...	...	...	12 5	12 0	16 0	15 8	14 8	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

A In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Culna 14 seers, and Cutwa 13¼ seers.
B The retail price of salt at Bishenpore sub-division was 13 seers per rupee.
C The retail price of salt in the interior ranged from 11½ to 13½ seers per rupee.
D In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Ghattal 14½ seers and Contai 10½ seers.
E In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Serampore 13 seers and Jehanabad 13½ seers.
E1 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Baraset 13 seers, Bussirhat 13 seers, Diamond Harbour 11 seers, and Barrackpore 12½ seers.
F In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kooshtea 13 seers, Meherpore 11½ seers, Choondanga 13 seers, and Ranaghat 12½ seers.
G The retail price of salt in the sub-divisions of Satkhira and Bagirhat was 11 seers per rupee.
H In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Jhenidah, Magurah and Nawail 12 seers and Bongong 13 seers.
H1 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Lalbagh 11 seers, Jungypore 12½ seers, and Kaudi 12 seers.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per maund of 40 seers. Salt.			DISTRICTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		BENGAL.
																		Western Districts.
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	23 0	22 0	20 10	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 4	13 4	12 0	2-14-3	2-14-0	3-0-6	Burdwan.
...	...	...	30 0	29 0	38 0	17 12	18 0	18 0	320 0	280 0	320 0	12 12	13 0	12 0	3 2	3 2	...	Bankoora.
...	...	...	...	...	..	16 0	18 0	21 0	160 0	160 0	200 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3-2-6	3-2-6	3 4	Beerbhoom
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	17 0	155 0	155 0	155 0	12 12	13 0	13 0	2 14	2 14	2 14	Midnapore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 0	17 0	19 0	140 0	120 0	120 0	13 9	13 9	13 9	2 14	2 14	2 14	Hooghly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 12	18 0	18 0	80 0	80 0	80 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	3 0	3 0	2 14	Howrah.
																		Central Districts.
...	...	...	19 8	19 8	23 2	18 10	18 10	20 0	90 0	90 0	90 0	13 0	13 0	14 9	2 12	2 12	2 12	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	20 0	24 8	17 8	17 8	19 0	90 0	90 0	90 0	12 13	12 13	13 5	3 0	3 0	2 14	24-Pergunnahs
...	...	...	..	...	...	25 0	26 0	24 9½	...	...	...	11 10½	11 10½	11 10½	3 0	3 0	3 2	Nuddea.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	15 0	15 0	200 0	200 0	180 0	10 8	10 8	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 2	Khoolna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	21 0	24 0	20 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	10 12	10 12	11 4	3 2	3 2	3 4	Jessore.
..	..	..	...	...	...	25 0	26 0	27 0	120 0	120 0	140 0	11 8	11 8	12 4	3 1	3 1	3 4	Moorshedabad.
...	...	..	...	...	...	13 11	13 0	17 8	120 0	120 0	160 0	11 0	12 0	11 12	3 4	3 4	3 6	Dinagepore.
...	...	..	...	...	...	17 8	17 8	26 4	240 0	240 0	240 0	12 0	12 0	11 4	3-2-6	3-2 6	3-8-9	Rajshahye.
..	..	...	...	...	...	13 5	13 5	20 0	110 0	110 0	110 0	11 14	11 14	11 14	3 5	3 5	3 5	Rungpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	22-8*	10 8	18 12	90 0	90 0	67 8	11 4	12 0	11 4	3-5-4	3-2-8	3 8	Bogra.
..	...	...	...	...	...	24 0	...	18 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	12 6	12 4	11 4	3-3-6	3-2-9	3 4	Pubna.
12 0	12 0	10 0	15 0	16 0	22 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	128 0	128 0	128 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 8	4 6	4 8	Darjeeling
	..	...	...	...	...	16 0	12 0	16 0	128 0	128 0	128 0	12 4	12 4	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Julpigoree.
																		Eastern Districts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 4	17 4	16 13	90 0	90 0	80 0	12 8	13 8	12 4	3 2	3 2	3 2	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	19 0	16 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3 2	3 2	3 2	Furreedpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	2 11	2 11	2 11	Backergunge.
...	...	...	...	...	..	13 8	13 8	16 0	...	...	..	12 3	12 8	11 12	3 2	3 3	3 6	Mymensingh.

I The retail price of salt in the sub-divisions of Nattore and Nowgong was 12 seers per rupee.
J The retail prices of salt in the sub-division per rupee were :- Nilphamari 12 seers, Kurigram 13 seers, and Gaibanda 14 seers.
K The retail price of salt at Serajgunge was 13 seers per rupee.
L The retail prices of salt in Kurseong 8 seers, and Siliguri 10 seers per rupee.
M The retail price of salt at Fallacotta was 10 seers per rupee.
N In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Munickgunge 12 seers, Moonsheegunge 11 seers 10⅔ chittacks, and Naraingunge 13 seers.
O In the sub-divisions of Goalundo and Madaripore the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.
P In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Patuakhali 10⅔ seers, Perozepore 11 seers, and Bhola 10 seers.
Q In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kishoregunge 11⅓ seers, Attea 12 seers, and Jamalpore 11½ seers.

* New gram grown in the district and which is much superior to superseding gram selling at 10 seers per rupee as per letter No. 714 dated the 21st April 1884.

PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood and Salt in the

RETAIL SALE :—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY THE

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM, JOWAR.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	***Eastern Districts.*—(Concluded.)**																		
		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
23	Chittagong ...	R 12 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	14 0	17 0	17 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
23	Noakholly ...	S ...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	23 0	18 0	18 0	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
24	Tipperah ...	T 14 8	13 5	12 4	...	...	...	15 0	14 8	21 0	16 0	17 8	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
25	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 5	13 5	16 0	16 0	16 0	17 14	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah	12 0	12 0	10 0	...	...	...	14 0	13 0	20 0	18 0	18 0	28 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	BEHAR.																		
26	Patna ...	22 8	22 0	17 8	24 0	25 0	32 0	11 0	12 0	14 0	14 0	15 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
27	Gya ...	18 0	17 0	20 0	23 0	22 0	24 8	10 0	10 0	12 8	13 8	14 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
28	Shahabad ...	U 19 0	18 0 to 19 0	16 0 to 18 0	23 0	24 0	26 0	9 0	8 0 to 9 0	11 0 to 11 8	14 0	13 0 to 14 0	18 0 to 18 8	23 0	24 0	30 0	24 0	23 0	30 0
29	Durbhunga ...	V 16 0	16 8	15 0	...	...	44 0	11 8	11 0	16 0	13 12	14 5	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
30	Muzufferpore ...	W 18 0	17 0	21 0	20 0	21 0	35 0	10 0	11 0	12 0	12 0	13 8	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
31	Sarun ...	X 17 0	17 8	16 8	24 0	24 0	30 0	8 0	8 0	10 0	12 0	12 0	19 0	...	...	...	26 0	26 0	32 0
32	Chumparun ...	Y 16 0	18 0	16 0	...	...	40 0	9 0	9 0	14 0	13 8	14 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
33	Monghyr ...	Z 21 0	21 0	19 10	21 0	21 0	33 9	11 0	11 9	13 9	13 10	13 15	15 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
34	Bhagulpore ...	Z1 17 10	16 6	16 6	21 7	20 8	25 4	12 0	12 0 new rice. 10 11 old rice.	15 12	13 14	13 14 new rice. 12 10 old rice.	18 15	...	...	...	...	...	...
35	Purneah ...	Z2 18 0	17 0	18 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	17 0	14 0	14 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
36	Maldah ...	22 0	21 0	18 0	...	29 0	...	11 0	12 0	15 0	14 0	15 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
37	Sonthal Perghs.	Z3 16 0	16 0	14 0	...	...	...	12 0	14 4	16 0	16 0	17 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	ORISSA.																		
38	Cuttack ...	19 11	18 6	13 2	...	...	...	13 2	13 2	17 1	19 11*	18 6	26 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
39	Pooree ...	14 7	15 12	13 2	...	...	...	15 12	15 12	26 9	23 10	22 5	32 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
40	Balasore ...	Z4 18 0	14 0	14 0	11 0	18 0	...	18 0	16 0	16 0	21 0	21 8	32 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE																		
	South-Western Frontier Agency.																		
41	Hazareebagh ...	Z5 14 0	15 0	18 0	16 0	...	24 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	14 0	15 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
42	Lohardugga ...	16 0	15 0	18 0	20 0	20 0	24 0	14 0	14 0	20 0	18 0	18 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
43	Singbhoom ...	18 0	16 0	24 0	24 0	24 0	32 0	20 0	20 0	28 0	24 0	24 0	32 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
44	Manbhoom ...	Z6 14 0	14 0	16 0	26 0	25 0	30 0	16 0	16 0	18 0	21 0	22 0	27 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

* In the interior the price of rice ranged from 23½ seers to 32½ seers per rupee.

R The retail price of salt at Cox's Bazar was 10 seers per rupee.

S In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 9 to 12½ seers per rupee.

T The retail prices of salt at Brahmunberiah 12½ and Chandpore 12½ seers per rupee.

U In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Buxar and Sasseram 11½ seers, and Bhabuah 12 seers.

V In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Tajpore 11½ seers, and Madhubani 11 seers.

W The retail price of salt at Beetiamurhee was 11 seers per rupee.

X The retail price of salt at Gopalgunge sub-division was 12 seers per rupee.

Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 15th April 1884.—(Concld.)

SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 seers. Salt.			Districts.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		Eastern Districts.—(Concluded)
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	40 0	40 0	80 0	10 0	11 0	9 0	4 0	3 4	4 0	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	13 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0	3 6	3 6	3 6	Noakholly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 8	15 8	15 8	...	...	...	12 4	12 4	12 4	3 3	3 3	3 4	Tipperah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	320 0	320 0	320 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 8	4 8	4 8	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	14 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Hill Tipperah.
																		BEHAR.
...	...	...	25 0	25 0	32 0	24 8	25 0	29 8	100 0	100 0	130 0	10 0	10 8	10 8	2 14	2 14	3 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	21 8	22 0	22 0	180 0	180 0	180 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Gya.
...	...	...	25 0	25 0	..	24 0	24 0	28 0 to 29 0	120 0	120 0	140 0	12 0	12 0	12 8	3 1	3 1	3 1	Shahabad.
22 8	20 14	40 0	20 14	20 14	35 0	20 8	20 0	20 8	180 0	176 0	160 0	12 6	12 0	11 0	3-3-9	3-2-11	3 10	Durbhunga.
...	...	...	20 0	20 8	40 0	20 0	19 0	22 0	140 0	140 0	140 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3-3-6	3 4	3 4	Muzufferpore.
24 0	24 0	33 0	23 4	23 4	31 0	20 0	20 8	28 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	11 0	11 8	11 0	3 5	3 4	3 5	Saran.
...	...	...	22 0	22 0	41 0	20 0	19 0	22 0	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	11 0	3 6	3 6	3 5	Chumparun.
...	...	...	23 1	23 1	34 10	24 10	24 6	27 14	126 0	126 0	126 0	12 9	13 2	12 1	2-15-10	2-15-0	3-3-4	Monghyr.
...	...	...	20 3	20 3	31 9	20 3	20 3	25 4	151 8	151 8	151 8	12 10	12 10	12 10	3 0	3 0	3-0-6	Bhagulpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	19 0	17 0	19 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	10 8	10 8	10 0	3 4	3 10	3 12	Purneah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	22 0	22 0	28 0	160 0	140 0	160 0	11 8	11 0	10 8	3 6	3 6	3 10	Maldah.
...	...	...	18 0	18 0	35 0	17 0	16 0	20 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	12 0	12 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 6	Sonthal Pergs.
																		ORISSA.
10 8	10 8	15 12	...	...	...	24 15	23 10	22 5	80 0	80 0	80 0	14 0	14 0	...	2 12	2 12	...	Cuttack.
...	...	...	...	...	...	21 0	21 0	18 6	100 0	80 0	105 0	16 0	16 0	11 4	2 6	2 6	2 12	Pooree.
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	12 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	10 0	9 12	10 8	3 8	3 12	3 12	Balasore.
																		CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*
20 0	16 0	27 0	16 0	16 0	24 0	16 0	17 0	17 0	320 0	320 0	240 0	10 0	10 8	11 0	3-8-9	3-5-3	3 7	Hazareebagh.
28 0	28 0	32 0	16 0	16 0	28 0	16 0	16 0	17 0	120 0	100 0	120 0	10 8	10 0	10 0	3 9	3 10	3 10	Lohardugga.
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	16 0	24 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	4 0	4 0	3 12	Singbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 8	20 0	160 0	120 0	120 0	10 8	10 8	10 8	3 8	3 7	3 6	Manbhoom.

Y In the interior the retail prices of salt ranged from 10 to 12½ seers per rupee.
Z The retail price of salt at the Jamui sub-division was 11 seers per rupee.
Z1 The retail price of salt per rupee were:—Banka 12 seers, Madhapoora 10 seers, and Soopole 11 seers.
Z2 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt in the sub-divisions per rupee were:—Kissengunge 9 seers, and at Raneegunge in Arrareah sub-division 12 seers.
Z3 The retail price of salt at Rajmehal and Godda was 12 seers per rupee.
Z4 The retail price of salt at Bhadruck was 8 seers per rupee.
Z5 The retail price of salt were at Chatra 11 seers, and Kharagdiha 11½ seers per rupee.
Z6 The retail prices of salt were at Ragunathpore 12 seers, and Burra Bazar 11 seers per rupee.

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PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD, AND SALT IN THE DISTRICTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 30TH APRIL 1884.

PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood and Salt in the

RETAIL SALE:—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM, JOWAR.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL																		
	Western Districts.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S.Ch.
1	Burdwan ...	[A] 18 0	18 0	16 0	32 0	32 0	24 0	13 4	14 0	19 0	18 0	18 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
2	Bankoora ...	[B] 17 0	16 8	14 0	19 0	19 0	19 0	15 8	16 0	19 0	17 8	19 0	24 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	Beerbhoom ...	[C] 16 8	16 8	16 0	...	...	...	13 5	14 4	18 0	16 0	16 8	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
4	Midnapore ...	[D] 12 0	12 0	17 0	16 0	15 0	16 0	14 0	14 0	21 0	18 0	18 0	27 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
5	Hooghly ...	[E] 17 0	16 0	15 0	...	15 0	...	8 0	8 0	10 0	14 0	14 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Howrah ...	14 8	14 8	13 4	...	...	...	12 0	12 4	15 0	14 4	14 8	18 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Central Districts.																		
	Calcutta ...	[F] 16 0	15 0	15 6	19 0	17 0	21 5	8 0	7 8	11 8	13 0	13 0	17 12	14 0	16 0	17 12	19 0	19 0	23 2
6	24-Pergunnahs	14 4	13 5	13 8	20 0	20 0	16 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	17 0	14 8	16 0	...	...	13 5	...	...	...
7	Nuddea ...	[G] 16 12	17 4	14 8	22 15	22 15	24 4½	12 5	13 5½	16 7	13 5½	14 8	17 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Khoolna ...	[H] ...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Jessore ...	[I] 16 0	15 0	20 0	...	...	...	13 0	12 12	16 0	16 0	16 0	22 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
10	Moorshedabad...	[J] 19 8	20 0	17 0	...	...	...	10 8	12 0	16 0	13 8	14 8	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
11	Dinagepore ...	[K] 20 0	19 8	15 10	13 5	...	14 0	15 8	16 0	18 0	17 4	16 8	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
12	Rajshahye ...	[L] 19 0 { 16 0 to 21 0 }		18 0	32 0	30 0	37 8	11 4	12 0 { 13 8 to 18 0 }		12 8	13 2 { 17 4 to 18 12 }		...	...	...	...	...	...
13	Rungpore ...	[M] 16 0	10 9	20 0	...	...	...	10 0	9 0	13 5	13 3	13 5	16 0		...	...	...	...	...
14	Bogra ...	12 0	13 12	13 8	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	13 8	15 0	15 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
15	Pubna ...	[N] 24 6	25 0	18 12	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	7 8	15 0	14 6	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
16	Darjeeling ...	[O] ...	...	8 0	11 0	10 0	8 0	4 0	6 0	5 0	10 0	11 0	11 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
17	Julpigoree ...	16-0	16 0	10 0	20-0	20 0	20 0	13-0	13 0	16 0	16-0	16 0	20 0	...	...		...	...	...
	Eastern Districts.																		
18	Dacca ...	[P] 17 0	16 4	14 8	26 0	18 0	24 0	12 8	13 0	16 0	14 0	14 0	19 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
19	Furreedpore ...	[Q] 21 0	21 0	24 0	35 0	30 0	37 0	13 0	14 0	20 0	14 0	15 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
20	Backergunge ...	[R] ...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	19 0	18 0	18 0	23 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
21	Mymensingh ...	[S] 13 4	13 4	13 4	...	...	...	10 0	12 5	18 0	14 0	15 8	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

A In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Culna 14 seers, Cutwa 13 seers and Ranegunge 13½ seers.
B The retail price of salt in the interior ranged from 11 to 16 seers per rupee.
C In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 10 seers to 13⅞ seers per rupee.
D In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Ghattal 14½ seers and Contai 10½ seers.
E In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Serampore 13 seers and Jehanabad 13½ seers.
F In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Bussirhat 13 seers, Diamond Harbour 11 seers, and Barrackpore 12¾ seers.
G In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Koosbrea and Chooadanga 13 seers, Meherpore 11½ seers, and Ranaghat 12¾ seer
H In the sub-divisions the retail price of salt per rupee was:—Satkhira and Bagirhat 11 seers
I In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Jhenidah, Magurah and Nagail 12 seers and Bongong 13 seers.
J In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Lalbagh 11 seers, Jungypore 10½ seers, and Kandi 12 seers.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per maund of 40 seers. Salt.			DISTRICTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		BENGAL.
																		Western Districts.
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	22 0	23 0	22 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 4	13 4	12 0	2-14 9	2-14-3	3-0-0	Burdwan.
...	...	...	28 0	30 0	39 0	18 0	17 12	18 0	320 0	320 0	320 0	12 12	12 12	12 0	3 2	3 2	3-3-6	Bankoora.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	21 4	160 0	160 0	200 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3-3-6	3-2-6	3-4-3	Beerbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	15 8	17 0	155 0	155 0	155 0	12 12	12 12	13 0	2 14	2 14	2 14	Midnapore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 0	18 0	19 0	120 0	140 0	120 0	13 9	13 9	13 9	2 14	2 14	2 14	Hooghly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	17 12	19 0	80 0	80 0	80 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	3 0	3 0	3 0	Howrah.
																		Central Districts.
...	...	...	...	19 8	24 8	18 10	18 10	18 13	120 0	90 0	90 0	13 0	13 0	14 9	2 12	2 12	2 12	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	20 0	17 8	17 8	16 0	90 0	90 0	80 0	12 13	12 13	13 5	3 0	3 0	2 14	24-Pergunnahs
...	...	...	...	...	....	24 8	25 0	22 15	...	...	...	11 10½	11 10½	11 10½	3 0	3 0	3 2	Nuddea.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	15 0	...	200 0	180 0	10 8	10 8	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 2	Khoolna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	25 8	21 0	20 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	10 12	10 12	10 12	3 2	3 2	3 4	Jessore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	24 0	25 0	27 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	11 8	11 8	12 4	3 1	3 1	3 4	Moorshedabad.
...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	18 11	17 0	140 0	120 0	160 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 6	Dinagepore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	25 0	17 8	24 6	240 0	240 0	240 0	12 0	12 0	10 8	3-2-6	3-2 6	3 13	Rajshahye.
...	...	...	...	...	...	13 5	13 5	20 0	110 0	110 0	110 0	11 14	11 14	11 14	3 5	3 5	3 5	Rungpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	22 8	22 8	18 12	90 0	90 0	67 8	12 0	11 4	10 8	3-5-4	3-5-4	3 6	Bogra.
...	...	...	...	...	...	24 0	24 0	18 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	12 6	12 6	11 4	3 2	3-2-6	3 5-3	Pubna.
12 0	12 0	9 0	11 0	15 0	20 0	10 0	10 0	8 0	128 0	128 0	128 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 8	4 8	4 8	Darjeeling
...	...	...	...	...	...	16-0	16 0	16 0	128-4	128 0	128 0	12-4	12 4	12 0	3-4-4	3 4	3 4	Julpigoree.
																		Eastern & S rn.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 0	17 4	14 8	90 0	90 0	80 0	12 8	12 8	12 4	3 2	3 2[O]	3 2	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	16 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3 2	3 2	...	Furreedpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	2 11	2 11	2 11	Backergunge
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 8	13 8	16 0	...	...	...	12 8	12 3	12 0	3 2	3-2 0	3 5	Mymensingh.

K The retail price of salt were at Raigunge 11½ seers and Nestpore 10 seers per rupee.
L In the sub-divisions of Nattore and Nowgong the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.
M In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Nilphamari 12 seers, Kurigram 13 seers, and Gaibanda 14 seers.
N The retail price of salt at Serajgunge was 13 seers per rupee.
O The retail price of salt at Kurseong 8 seers, and Silguri 10 seers per rupee.
P In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Manickgunge 12 seers, Moonsheegunge 10 seers 10½ chittacks, and Narsingunge 13 seers.
Q The retail price of salt at Madaripore was 12 seers per rupee.
R In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Patuakhali 10½ seers, Perozepore 11 seers, and Bhola 10 seers.
S In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Atteo 12 seers, Jamalpore 11½ seers, and Netrokona 12 6/8 seers.

PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood and Salt in the

RETAIL SALE :—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY THE

Number	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM, JOWAR.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	***Eastern Districts.*—(Concluded.)**	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
23	Chittagong ...	T 12 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...	12 0	13 0	13 0	16 0	17 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
23	Noakholly ...	U ...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	23 0	18 0	18 0	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
24	Tipperah ...	V 14 10	14 8	13 4	...	...	...	13 8	15 0	20 4	16 13	16 0	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
25	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 6	13 5	16 0	13 5	16 0	17 14	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah	12 0	12 0	10 0	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	20 0	18 0	18 0	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	BEHAR.																		
26	Patna ...	22 8	22 8	17 8	24 0	24 0	32 0	11 0	11 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
27	Gya ...	W 17 0	18 0	20 0	21 8	23 0	24 8	10 0	10 0	12 0	12 0	13 8	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
28	Shahabad ...	X 19 0	19 0	16 8 to 17 0	22 0	22 0	25 0 to 26 0	9 0	9 0	10 8 to 11 0	13 0	14 0	16 8 to 18 0	24 0	28 0	...	20 0	24 0	30 0
29	Durbhunga ...	Y 16 0	16 0	14 0	...	...	30 0	10 8	11 8	15 0	13 8	13 12	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
30	Mozufferpore ...	Z 16 0	18 0	19 0	20 0	20 0	32 0	10 0	10 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
31	Sarun ...	Z1 17 0	17 0	17 0	23 0	24 0	28 0	8 0	8 0	10 0	12 0	12 0	18 8	...	...	...	23 0	26 0	32 0
32	Chumparun ...	Z2 16 0	16 0	17 0	25 0	...	40 0	9 0	9 0	13 0	12 8	13 8	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
33	Monghyr ...	Z3 18 14	21 0	19 11	21 0	21 0	29 6	11 9	11 9	18 9	12 9	18 10	16 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
34	Bhagulpore ...	Z4 18 11	17 10	16 6	21 7	21 7	26 8	12 0	12 0	16 6	13 14	13 14	18 15	...	...	...	...	...	...
35	Purneah ...	Z5 16 0	18 0	18 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	14 0	14 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
36	Maldah ...	20 0	22 0	18 0	...	...	...	11 8	11 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
37	Sonthal Pergha.	Z6 16 0	16 0	14 0	...	...	...	13 0	12 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	ORISSA.																		
38	Cuttack ...	19 11	19 11	15 12	...	...	...	13 2	13 2	15 12	19 11*	19 11	26 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
39	Pooree ...	13 2	14 7	13 2	...	...	...	15 12	15 12	26 4	23 10	23 10	32 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
40	Balasore ...	Z7 18 0	18 0	14 0	11 0	11 0	...	16 0	18 0	16 0	21 0	21 0	32 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE.																		
	South-Western Frontier Agency.																		
41	Hazareebagh ...	Z8 14 0	14 0	18 0	15 0	6 0	20 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	14 0	14 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
42	Lohardugga ...	16 0	16 0	17 0	20 0	20 0	24 0	14 0	14 0	20 0	18 0	18 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
43	Singhbhoom ...	18 0	18 0	24 0	24 0	24 0	32 0	20 0	20 0	32 0	24 0	24 0	36 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
44	Manbhoom ...	Z9 14 8	14 0	15 0	24 0	26 0	28 0	16 0	16 0	18 0	20 8	21 0	27 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

* In the interior the price of rice ranged from 21 seers to 31 seers, 9 chittacks per rupee.

T The retail price of salt at Cox's Bazar was 10 seers per rupee.

U In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 9 to 12½ seers per rupee.

V The retail prices of salt per rupee were at Chandpore 12½ seers and Brahmunberiah 12½ seers.

W In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Arungabad 11½ seers, and Nowada 10 seers.

X In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Buxar 11½ seers, and Bhabuah 11 seers.

Y In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Madhubani 11 seers and Tajpore 11 seers.

Z The retail price of salt per rupee in the sub-division of Hajeepore was 12 seers.

Z1 In the sub-divisions the retail price of salt per rupee were :—Sewan 11 seers and Gopalgunge 12 seers.

Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 30th April 1884.—(Concld.)

SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 seers. Salt.			Districts.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		Eastern Districts.—(Concluded.)
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	13 0	16 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	9 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	13 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0	3 6	3 6	3 6	Noakholly
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 8	15 8	13 4	...	...	...	12 4	12 4	12 4	3 3	3 3	3 3	Tipperah.
...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	320 0	320 0	320 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 8	4 8	...	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
..	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	12 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Hill Tipperah.
																		BEHAR.
...	...	...	25 0	25 0	32 0	24 8	24 8	29 8	100 0	100 0	130 0	10 8	10 0	10 8	2 14	2 14	3 0	Patna
...	...	...	...	...	...	20 4	21 8	23 0	180 0	180 0	180 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Gya.
...	...	...	25 0	25 0	..	24 0	24 0	28 0 to 29 0	120 0	120 0	140 0	12 0	12 0	12 8	3 1	3 1	3 1	Shahabad
...	22 8	35 0	...	20 14	40 0	21 15	20 8	24 0	180 0	180 0	160 0	12 1	12 6	11 0	3 4	3-3-9	3 10	Durbhunga
...	...	...	18 0	20 0	38 0	19 0	20 0	23 0	140 0	140 0	140 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3 4	3-3-6	3 4	Muzufferpore.
23 0	24 0	32 0	21 4	23 4	33 0	20 0	20 0	28 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 5	3 5	3 6	Sarun.
...	...	...	21 0	23 0	41 0	20 0	20 0	26 0	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	11 8	3 6	3 6	3-6-6	Chumparun
...	...	...	22 7	23 1	31 8	27 15	24 10	27 14	126 0	126 0	126 0	12 4	12 9	11 13	3-2-6	2-15-10	3-3-4	Monghyr.
...	...	...	20 3	20 3	32 13	20 13	20 3	25 4	164 0	151 8	126 8	12 10	12 10	12 10	3 0	3 0	3 0-6	Bhagulpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 0	19 0	20 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	10 8	10 8	10 0	3 10	3 4	3 10	Purneah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	24 0	22 0	22 0	160 0	160 0	140 0	11 0	11 8	11 0	3 8	3 6	3 9	Maldah.
...	...	...	19 0	18 0	30 0	18 0	17 0	20 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	10 0	12 0	11 0	3 12	3 4	3 6	Sonthal Pergs.
																		ORISSA.
10 8	10 8	13 2	...	...	...	23 10	24 15	23 10	80 0	80 0	80 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	2 12	2 12	2 12	Cuttack.
...	...	...	...	...	...	21 0	21 0	19 11	100 0	100 0	105 0	16 0	16 0	14 0	2 6	2 6	2 11	Pooree.
...	...	...	...	...	..	13 0	14 0	0	120 0	120 0	120 0	10 8	10 0	10 8	3 8	3 8	3 8	Balasore
																		CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency*
20 0	20 0	27 0	16 0	16 0	21 0	16 0	16 0	18 0	320 0	320 0	240 0	10 0	10 0	11 0	3-12-6	3-8-9	3 7	Hazareebagh.
28 0	28 0	30 0	18 0	18 0	26 0	16 0	16 0	15 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	10 8	10 8	9 0	3 9	3 9	4 2	Lohardugga.
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	24 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	Singbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 0	17 0	18 0	120 0	160 0	120 0	10 8	10 8	10 8	3 8	3 8	3 6	Manbhoom.

Z2 In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 10 to 12 seers per rupee.
Z3 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Begusarai 11 seers and Jamui 11½ seers.
Z4 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Banka 12 seers, Mudehpoora 10 seers, and Soopole 11 seers.
Z5 The retail prices of salt per rupee in the sub-division of Kissengunge 9 seers, and at Raneegunge in the Arrareah sub-division 12 seers.
Z6 The retail price of salt at Rajmehal and Govindpore was 11 seers per rupee.
Z7 The retail price of salt at Bhadruck was 8 seers per rupee.
Z8 The retail prices of salt were at Chatra 11 seers, and Kharagdiha 11½ seers per rupee.
Z9 The retail prices of salt were at Ragunathpore 12 seers, and Burra Bazar and Govindpore 11 seers per rupee.

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PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD, AND SALT IN THE DISTRICTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 15TH MAY 1884.

Number.	DISTRICTS.	RETAIL SALE:-QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY																					
		WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO. BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM. JOWAR.						
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.				
	BENGAL																						
	Western Districts.																						
		S. Ch	S. Ch.	S Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch	S. Ch.	S Ch.	S Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch.	S Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch.	S Ch.	S Ch.	S.Ch.
1	Burdwan ...	A 18 0	18 0	14 0	27 8	32 0	20 0	13 2	13 4	19 0	18 0	18 0	24 0	...	..		...	...	...				
2	Bankoora ...	B 16 8	17 0	14 0	18 0	19 0	19 0	15 8	15 8	19 4	17 8	17 8	24 12	...	...	.	..	...	...				
3	Beerbhoom ...	C 17 0	16 8	15 8	...	...	...	14 0	13 5	16 0	15 8	16 0	20 0	...	...	..	..	...	...				
4	Midnapore ...	12-0	12 0	17 0	20-0	16 0	16 0	15-0	14 0	18 0	18-0	18 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
5	Hooghly ...	D 17 8	17 0	15 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	10 0	14 0	14 0	18 0	...	...	..	...	...	...				
	Howrah ...	14 0	14 8	14 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	14 4	13 8	14 4	20 0	...	...	..	...	...	...				
	Central Districts.																						
	Calcutta ...	16 0	16 0	14 9	17 0	19 0	17 12	8 0	8 0	10 12	13 0	13 0	17 12	15 0	14 0	18 13	17 0	19 0	...				
6	24-Pergunnahs	D 1 14 8	14 4	13 5	17 12	20 0	17 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	16 0	17 0	13 5	...	...	...	...	...	...				
7	Nuddea ...	E 16 12	16 12	14 8	20 0	22 15	22 15	12 5	12 5	14 8	13 5½	13 5½	17 4	...	...	...	...	...	...				
8	Khoolna ..	F ...	...	...	..	...	...	14 0	14 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
9	Jessore ...	G 14 0	16 0	20 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	22 8	...		..	...	...	...				
10	Moorshedabad...	H 19 0	19 8	17 0	...	...	...	11 8	10 8	16 0	14 0	13 8	19 0	...	..	.	...	...	...				
11	Dinagepore .	16 0	20 0	12 0	13 0	13 5	11 6	13 0	15 8	18 0	16 0	17 4	21 0	...	...	..	...	...	...				
12	Rajshahye ...	I 19 0	19 0	17 4	32 0	32 0	37 8	11 8	11 4	16 0	13 0	12 8	17 4 to 18 12	..	...	.	.	..	...				
13	Rungpore ...	J 16 0	16 0	11 7	...	...	...	11 0	10 0	13 5	13 4	13 3	16 0		...	..	...	...	...				
14	Bogra ...	16 8	12 0	13 8	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	13 8	15 0	15 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
15	Pubna ...	K 24 0	24 8	18 8	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	8 4	15 0	15 0	19 2	..	...	..	...	...	...				
16	Darjeeling ...	L ...	...	8 0	10 0	11 0	8 0	5 8	4 0	5 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	...	...	..	...	...	...				
17	Julpigoree ..	M 10 0	10 0	10 10	20 0	20 0	20 0	11 8	13 0	16 0	14 0	16 0	20 0	...	...		...	...	...				
	Eastern Districts.																						
18	Dacca ...	N 17 0	17 0	14 4	26 0	26 0	19 4	12 8	12 8	15 12	15 0	14 0	19 0	...	...	21 8	..	.	21 4				
19	Furreedpore ...	O 20 0	21 0	24 0	35 0	35 0	37 0	12 0	13 0	20 0	15 0	14 0	22 0	...	...	..	...	...	...				
20	Backergunge ..	P ..	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	19 0	18 0	18 0	23 0	...	...	..	...	...	...				
21	Mymensingh ...	Q 13 8	13 4	13 4	...	...	...	12 0	10 0	16 0	14 12	14 0	20 0	...	...	..	...	...	...				

A In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Culna 14 seers, Cutwa 13 seers and Ranegunge 12¾ seers.
B The retail price of salt in the interior ranged from 12 to 16 seers per rupee.
C In the interior the retail price of salt per rupee ranged from 11 seers to 13$\frac{0}{16}$ seers.
D In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Serampore 13 seers and Jehanabad 13½ seers.
D1 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Barasat and Bairhat 13 seers, and Diamond Harbour 11 seers.
E In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Meherpore 11½ seers, Boondanga 13 seers, and Ranaghat 12½ seers.
F In the sub-divisions the retail price of salt per rupee was:—Satkhira and Baginhat 11 seers
G In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Jhenidah 12 seers, Bongong 13 seers, Magurah and Nagail 12 seers.
H In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Lalbagh 11 seers, Jungypore 10½ seers, and Kandi 12 seers.
I In the sub-divisions the retail price of salt per rupee was:—Nattore and Nowgong 2 seers.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 seers. Salt.			DISTRICTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		BENGAL.
																		Western Districts.
S. Ch	S Ch	S Ch	S Ch	S. Ch	S Ch	S Ch	S Ch	S Ch	S. Ch	S Ch	S. Ch	S Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch	Rs. A	Rs. A	Rs A.	
						22 0	22 0	19 8	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 4	13 4	12 0	2-14 8	2-14-9	3-1-3	Burdwan
...	...	..	...	...	...				320 0	320 0	3 0 0	12 12	12 12	12 0	3 2	3 2	3-3-6	Bankoora
...	...	.	12	28 0	38 0	18 0	18 0	18 8	160 0	160 0	200 0	12 0	12 0	11 12	3-2-6	3-2-6	3 5	Beerbhoom
...	...	...	...	...		19 8	16 0	16 0	155	155 0	155 0	12 12	12 12	13 0	2 14 0	2 14	2 14	Midnapore
...	..	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	17 0										Hooghly
...	...	...	...	...	..	18 0	18 0	19 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 9	13 9	13 9	2 14	2 14	2 14	Howrah.
...	...	.	...	...	...	18 0	18 0	19 0	80 0	80 0	80 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	3 0	3 0	3 0	
																		Central Districts.
...	..	...	...	...	24 8	18 10	18 10	13 13	100 0	100 0	90 0	13 0	13 0	14 0	2 12	2 12	2 12	Calcutta
...	...	...	20 0	...	...	17 8	17 8	17 12	90 0	90 0	90 0	12 13	12 13	13 5	3 0	3 0	2 14	24-Pergunnahs
...	..	...		.		21 5½	24 8	20 0	...	..		11 10½	11 10½	11 10½	...	3 0	3 2	Nuddea
...	..	...				15 0	16 0	5 0	200 0	..	180 0	10 8	10 8	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 2	Khoolna.
...	..	...	...	.	.	25 8	25 8	20 0	120 0	120	120 0	10 12	10 12	10 12	3 2	3 2	3 4	Jessore.
...	..	..	..	...	...	23 8	24 0	27 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	10 0	11 8	12 8	3 8	3 1	3 2	Moorshedabad.
...	.	.	...	...	..	15 0	20 0	10 10	140 0	140 0	160 0	11 0	11 0	10 10	3 4	3 4	3 8	Dinagepore
...	..	.	...	...	...	23 0	25 0	21 0	240 0	240	240 0	12 0	12 0	11 4	3-2-6	3-2 6	3-8 3	Rajshaye.
...	...	.	..	..	..	13 5	13 5	16 0	110 0	110 0	110 0	11 14	11 14	11 14	3 5	3 5	3 5	Rungpore.
..	.	...	.	.	...	22 8	22 8	16 8	90 0	90 0	67 8	11 4	13 0	9 12	3 8	3-5-4	3-8-8	Bogra.
...	...	..	...	...	..	24 0	24 0	18 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	13 6	12 6	11 4	3 2	3 2	3 4	Pubna.
..	.	.	...	...	...													
12 0	12 0	10 0	12 0	11 0	18 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	120 0	128 0	128 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 8	4 8	4 8	Darjeeling
	.		..	...	..	16 0	16 0	14 0	128 0	128 0	128 0	12 4	12 4	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Julpigoree.
																		Eastern Districts
						18 0	18 0	14 8	90 0	90 0	80 0	12 8	13 8	12 4	3 2	3 2	3 2	Dacca.
...	..	.	..	...	...	19 0	17 0	16 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3 2	3 2	3 5	Furreedpore.
...	..	..	...	..	...	17 0	17 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	2 11	2 11	2 11	Backergunge
..	.	..	...	...	..	16 0	12 8	16 0	..	..	.	13 0	12 8	12 0	3 1	3 2	...	Mymensingh.
...	.	..	...	..	..													

J In the sub divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :- Nilphamari 12 seers, Kurrigram 13 seers, and Gaibanda 14 seers.
K The retail price of salt at Serajgunge was 12¾ seers per rupee
L In the sub divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Kurseong 8 seers, and Siliguri 11 seers
M The retail price of salt at Falacota was 10 seers per rupee.
N In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Manickgunge 12 seers, Naraingunge 13 seers, Moonsheegunge 10 seers 10¾ chittacks.
O In the sub-divisions the retail price of salt per rupee was :—Goalundo and Madaripore 12 seers.
P In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Patuakhali 10⅝ seers, Perozpore 10 seers and Bhola 10 seers
Q In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Khoregunge 10⅝ seers, Attea 12 seers. Netrokona 12 5/16 seers, Jamalpore 11¼ seers

Number.	DISTRICTS.	RETAIL SALE :—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY THE																					
		WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			HULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.			*GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM, JOWAR.					
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.			
***Eastern Districts*—(Concluded.)**		S. Ch.	S Ch.	S Ch	S Ch	S Ch	S. Ch	S Ch.	S Ch	S. Ch.	S Ch.	S Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch.	S Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch.	S Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	
22	Chittagong ...	S 12 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	13 0	16 0	16 0	22 0	..	...	...	...	...	...			
23	Noakhollv ...	T ...	...	...	...	...	.	16 0	16 0	23 0	18 0	18 0	26 0	...	...	...	...	..	...			
24	Tipperah ...	U 14 8	14 10	13 0	...	...	...	13 8	13 8	18 12	16 13	16 13	20 12	...	...	...	...	...	...			
25	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 4	11 6	13 0	13 5	13 5	17 14	...	...	...	...	...	...			
	Hill Tipperah	12 0	12 0	10 0	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	20 0	18 6	18 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...			
	BEHAR																						
26	Patna ..	20 0	22 8	17 8	23 0	24 0	32 0	11 0	11 0	14 0	13 0	14 0	19 0	..	...	..	...	...	...				
27	Gya ...	V 16 8	17 0	18 8	21 0	21 8	25 0	10 0	10 0	12 0	12 4	12 0	16 0	...	...	..	...	...	...				
28	Shahabad ..	18 8	19 0	17 0 to 19 0	23 0	22 0	25 0 to 26 0	8 8	9 0	10 0 to 11 0	14 0	13 0	17 0 to 19 0	24 0	24 0	...	20 0	20 0	30 0				
29	Durbhunga ...	15 3	16 0	16 0	...	...	30 0	13 14	10 3	14 0	13 11	13 3	16 0	...	...	..	...	...	...				
30	Muzufferpore ...	W 17 0	16 0	18 0	20 0	20 0	30 0	10 0	10 0	12 0	13 0	12 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
31	Sarun ...	X 17 8	17 0	17 0	22 0	22 0	28 0	8 0	8 0	10 0	12 0	12 0	18 0	...	...	.	25 0	23 0	30 0				
32	Chumparun ...	Y 16 0	16 0	18 0	22 0	25 0	40 0	10 0	9 0	13 0	12 8	12 8	18 8	...	...	...	...	...	...				
33	Monghyr ...	Z 19 11	18 14	22 5	22 4	21 0	27 15	10 12	11 9	14 11	12 9	12 9	16 12	...	...	...	...	...	...				
34	Bhagulpore ...	Z1 17 10	18 11	16 6	21 7	21 7	27 8	11 6	12 0	15 12	13 14	13 4	18 15	...	...	..	...	...	...				
35	Purneah ...	Z2 16 0	16 0	17 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	14 0	14 0	17 0	...	...	..	...	...	...				
36	Maldah ..	21 0	20 0	18 0	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	15 0	14 0	14 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
37	Sonthal Pergha.	Z3 15 8	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	12 8	13 0	16 0	15 0	16 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
	ORISSA.																						
38	Cuttack ...	14 7	19 11	17 1	...	...	...	13 2	13 2	14 7	18 6†	19 11	23 10	..	...	...	...	...	...				
39	Poorie* ...	13-2	13-2	11-13	...	...	...	15-12	15-12	26-4	23-10	23-10	32-8	...	...	..	...	...	...				
40	Balasore ...	Z4 16 0	18 0	14 0	11 0	11 0	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	21 0	21 0	32 0	...	...	..	...	...	...				
	CHOTA NAGPORE.																						
	South-Western Frontier Agency.																						
41	Hazareebagh ...	Z5 14 0	14 0	16 8	16 0	15 0	...	9 0	10 0	10 0	14* 0	14 0	17 0	...	...	.	...	...	...				
42	Lohardugga ...	15 0	16 0	17 0	18 0	20 0	24 0	14 0	14 0	20 0	18 0	18 0	24 0	...	...	..	...	...	...				
43	Singbhoom ...	18 0	18 0	24 0	24 0	24 0	32 0	20 0	20 0	32 0	24 0	24 0	36 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
44	Manbhoom ...	Z6 13 0	14 8	14 4	...	24 0	30 0	14 0	16 0	18 0	22 0	20 8	27 0	...	...	..	...	...	...				

* Return not received.

† In the interior the price of rice varies from 23 seers 10 chittacks to 32 seers 13 chittacks per rupee.

S The retail price of salt at Cox's Bazar was 9 seers per rupee.

T The retail price of salt in the interior ranged from 9 to 10½ seers per rupee.

U In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Brahmunberiah 12½ seers, and Chandpore 12½ seers.

V In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Aurungabad 11½ seers, and Nowada 10 seers.

W In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Sitamarhee 10 seers and Hajeepore 11 1/16 seers.

X The retail price of salt at the Sewan sub-division was 11½ seers per rupee.

Y The retail price of salt in the interior ranged from 11 to 12½ seers per rupee.

SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 seers. Salt.			Districts.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		Eastern Districts.—(Concluded.)
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	12 0	120 0	...	60 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	3 12	4 0	4 0	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	13 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0	3 6	3 6	3 6	Noakholly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	14 8	13 4	...	...	...	11 0	12 4	12 4	3 8	3 3	3 4	Tipperah.
...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	320 0	320 0	320 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 8	4 8	...	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	12 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	(Hill) Tipperah.
																		BIHAR.
...	...	...	24 0	25 0	32 0	21 0	24 8	29 8	100 0	100 0	130 0	11 0	10 8	10 6	3 0	2 14	3 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	20 4	20 4	23 0	180 0	180 0	180 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Gya.
...	...	...	...	25 0	...	24 0	24 0	28 0 to 29 0	120 0	120 0	140 0	12 0	12 0	12 8	3 1	3 1	3 1	Shahabad.
17 9	...	35 0	19 14	...	35 0	20 15	21 15	24 0	176 0	180 0	160 0	12 1	12 1	11 0	3 5	3 4	3 10	Durbhunga.
...	...	..	18 0	18 0	35 0	21 0	19 0	25 0	140 0	140 0	140 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Muzufferpore.
22 0	23 0	32 0	21 8	21 4	33 0	21 8	20 0	27 8	160 0	160 0	160 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 6	3 5	3 6	Saran.
...	...	...	...	21 0	40 0	20 0	20 0	26 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 8	11 8	3 7	3 6	3 6	Chumparun.
...	...	...	24 2	22 7	30 7	26 0	27 15	26 13	126 0	126 0	126 0	12 1	12 4	12 10	3-2-6	3-2-6	3-0-6	Monghyr.
...	...	...	18 15	20 8	31 13	20 13	20 13	25 4	151 8	164 0	151 8	12 10	12 10	12 10	3 0	3 0	3-0-6	Bhagulpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	18 0	30 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	10 8	10 8	10 0	3 10	3 10	3 10	Purneah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	23 0	24 0	22 8	200 0	160 0	160 0	11 0	11 0	10 0	3 8	3 8	3 10	Maldah.
...	...	...	19 0	19 0	30 0	18 8	18 0	21 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	9 8	10 0	11 0	3 12	3 12	3 10	Sonthal Pergls.
																		ORISSA.
15 12	10 8	21 0	...	...	...	22 5	23 10	21 0	80 0	80 0	80 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	2 12	2 12	2 12	Cuttack.
...	...	...	...	...	...	24 0	21 0	19 11	80	100	100	16 0	16 0	14 0	2 0	2 0	2 2	Pooree.
...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	14 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	8 8	10 8	10 8	4 8	3 8	3 8	Balasore.
																		CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*
20 0	20 0	24 0	18 0	16 0	21 0	16 8	16 0	18 0	320 0	320 0	240 0	11 0	10 0	11 0	3-10-3	3-12-6	3 7	Hazareebaghs.
28 0	28 0	30 0	18 0	18 0	25 0	14 0	16 0	15 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	10 0	10 8	9 8	3 12	3 9	4 0	Lohardugga.
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	24 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	Singbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	18 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	10 8	10 8	10 8	3 4	3 8	3 8	Manbhoom.

Z In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Begusarai 11½ seers and Jamui 12 seers.
Z1 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Banka 12 seers, Madhubani 10 seers, and Soopole 11 seers.
Z2 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Kissengunge 9 seers, and at Ranegunge in Arrareah sub-division 11 seers.
Z3 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Deoghur 13 seers and Godda 12 seers.
Z4 The retail price of salt at Bhadruck was 8 seers per rupee.
Z5 The retail price of salt at Chattra and Kharrackdiha was 11 seers per rupee.
Z6 The retail prices of salt per rupee were :—At Rugunathpore 12 seers, Burra Bazar and Govindpore 11 seers.

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PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD, AND SALT IN THE DISTRICTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 31st MAY 1884.

PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood and Salt in the

RETAIL SALE:—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM. JOWAR.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL																		
	Western Districts.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
1	Burdwan ...	A 15 12	16 0	14 8	26 0	27 8	30 0	13 8	13 2	19 8	17 4	18 0	25 0	...	..	.	...	...	...
2	Bankoora ...	B 16 8	16 8	14 0	19 0	18 0	19 0	15 8	15 8	19 0	18 0	17 8	24 8	...	..	..	..	...	...
3	Beerbhoom ...	C 16 8	17 0	15 0	...	...	...	12 12	14 0	16 0	15 0	15 8	22 8	...	..	..	..	...	...
4	Midnapore ...	D 12 0	12 0	15 0	20 0	20 0	14 0	14 0	15 0	20 0	18 0	18 0	24 0	...	..	...	...	...	...
5	Hooghly ...	E 18 0	17 8	13 8	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	10 0	14 0	14 0	18 8	...	...	..	...	...	...
	Howrah ...	14 8	14 0	13 0	...	...	...	11 8	12 0	14 0	14 4	13 8	20 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
	Central Districts.																		
	Calcutta ...	16 0	16 0	14 4	16 0	17 0	18 13	8 0	8 0	10 5	13 0	13 0	16 0	15 0	15 0	19 6	17 0	17 0	...
6	24-Pergunnahs	F 14 4	14 8	13 5	18 4	17 12	16 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	14 4	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
7	Nuddea ...	G 16 12	16 12	14 8	20 0	20 0	22 15	12 5	12 5	15 4	13 5½	13 5½	17 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Khoolna ..	H ...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	14 0	17 0	14 0	16 0	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Jessore ...	I 16 0	14 0	19 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	22 12	...		..	...	...	...
10	Moorshedabad...	J 19 0	19 0	17 0	...	...	...	13 0	11 8	16 0	14 0	14 0	19 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
11	Dinagepore ...	K 13 8	16 0	12 12	13 0	13 0	11 0	15 0	13 0	18 0	16 1	16 0	20 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
12	Rajshahye ...	L 20 5	19 0	17 4	32 0	32 0	35 0	12 0	11 8	13 8 to 16 0	13 2	13 0	16 8 to 18 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
13	Rungpore ...	M 16 0	16 0	11 7	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	13 5	13 14	13 4	16 0		...	...	...	...	...
14	Bogra ...	12 12	16 8	15 0	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	13 8	15 0	15 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
15	Pubna ...	N 24 0	24 0	18 12	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	8 0	15 0	15 0	19 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
16	Darjeeling ...	O 8 0	...	8 0	10 0	10 0	8 0	5 0	5 8	6 0	11 0	10 0	9 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
17	Julpigoree ...	P 11 0	10 0	10 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	11 0	11 8	16 0	13 0	14 0	20 0	...	...	.	...	...	...
	Eastern Districts.																		
18	Dacca ...	Q 17 0	17 0	14 4	26 0	26 0	19 0	12 8	12 8	16 0	15 0	15 0	19 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
19	Furreedpore ...	R 20 0	20 0	24 0	35 0	35 0	37 0	12 0	12 0	18 0	15 0	15 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
20	Backergunge ...	S ...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	19 0	18 0	18 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
21	Mymensingh ...	T 14 0	13 8	12 8	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	15 0	16 0	14 12	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

A In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Culna 14 seers, Cutwa 12½ seers and Ranegunge 13½ seers.
B The retail price of salt in the interior ranged from 11 to 16 seers per rupee.
C The retail price of salt in the interior ranged from 10½ to 13½ seers per rupee.
D In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Ghattal 14⅜ seers and Contai 10½ seers.
E The retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Serampore 13 seers, Jehanabad 13½ seers, Bhuddreesur 13½ seers, Baidyabatty 13⅝ seers, Chanditola 12½ seers, and Baboogunge. Jhikrapota and Belsur 13⅝ seers.
F In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Baraset and Basirhat 13 seers, Diamond Harbour 11 seers, and Barrackpore 12¾ seers.
G In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kooshtea 13 seers, Meherpore 11½ seers, Ranaghat 12¾ seers.
H In the sub-divisions the retail price of salt was:—At Satkhira and Bagirhat 11 seers per rupee
I In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Jhenidah and Magurah 12 seers, Nawail 14 seers, and Bongong 13 seers.
J In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Lalbagh 11 seers, Jungypore 10½ seers, and Kandi 12 seers
K The retail prices of salt per rupee were at Nitpore 10 seers and Ruigunge 11½ seers.

Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 31st May 1884.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.															WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF 40 SEERS.			
LESSER MILLET—RAGI OR MURWA AND CHENNA.			MAIZE OR INDIAN-CORN.			GRAM.			FIREWOOD.			SALT.			SALT.			
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	DISTRICTS.
																		BENGAL.
																		Western Districts.
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 12	22 0	20 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 0	13 4	12 4	2-15 4	2-14-8	3-1-0	Burdwan.
...	...	...	27 0	27 12	38 0	18 4	18 0	18 8	320 0	320 0	320 0	12 12	12 12	12 0	3 2	3 2	3-3-6	Bankoora.
...	...	...	...	...	.	19 8	19 8	21 0	160 0	160 0	200 0	12 0	12 0	11 4	3-2-6	3-2-6	3-5-3	Beerbhoom
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	14 0	155 0	155 0	155 0	12 12	12 12	13 0	2 14	2 14	2 14	Midnapore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	19 0	18 0	17 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 9	13 9	13 9	2 14	2 14	2 14	Hooghly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 8	18 0	19 0	80 0	80 0	80 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	3 0	3 0	3 0	Howrah.
																		Central Districts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 10	18 10	13 13	100 0	100 0	90 0	13 0	13 0	14 0	2 12	2 12	2 12	Calcutta.
...	...	...	20 0	20 0	20 0	17 12	17 8	17 8	100 0	90 0	90 0	12 13	12 13	13 5	3 0	3 0	2 14	24-Pergunnahs.
...	...	...	...	...	...	21 5½	21 5½	20 0	...	...	...	11 10½	11 10½	11 10½	3 0	...	3 2	Nuddea.
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	16 0	180 0	200 0	180 0	10 8	10 8	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 2	Khoolna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	24 0	25 8	20 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	10 12	10 12	10 12	3 2	3 2	3 4	Jessore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	23 8	23 8	27 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	10 9	10 0	12 8	3 6	3 8	3 4	Moorshedabad.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	15 0	15 0	140 0	140 0	160 0	12 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 7	Dinagepore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	23 8	23 0	21 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	12 6	12 0	11 4	3-2-6	3-2 6	3-3-3	Rajshahye.
...	...	...	...	...	...	13 5	13 5	16 0	110 0	110 0	110 0	11 14	11 14	11 14	3 5	3 5	3 5	Rungpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	22 8	22 8	15 0	90 0	90 0	80 0	12 0	11 4	9 12	3-5-4	3 8	3-3-3	Bogra.
...	...	...	...	...	...	24 0	24 0	16 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	12 6	12 6	11 4	3 2	3 2	3 5	Pubna.
11 0	12 0	9 0	13 0	12 0	16 0	10 0	10 0	8 0	128 0	120 0	128 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 8	4 8	4 8	Darjeeling.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	14 0	128 0	128 0	128 0	12 4	12 4	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Julpigoree.
																		Eastern Districts
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 0	18 0	14 8	90 0	90 0	90 0	12 8	12 8	12 8	3 2	3-2	3 2	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	19 0	16 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3 2	3 2	3 5	Furreedpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	2 11	2 11	2 11	Backergunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	12 8	...	...	...	12 12	13 0	12 0	3 0	3 1	3 5	Mymensingh.

L In the sub-divisions the retail price of salt per rupee was:—Nattore and Nowgong 12 seers.
M In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Nilphamari and Gaibanda 12 seers, and Kurigram 13 seers.
N The retail price of salt at Serajgunge was 13 seers per rupee.
O The retail prices of salt at Kurseong 8 seers, and Siliguri 10 seers per rupee.
P The retail price of salt at Falacota in Alipore sub-division was 10 seers per rupee.
Q In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Munickgunge 12 seers, Moonsheegunge 10 seers 10½ chittacks, and Naraingunge 13 seers.
R In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Goalundo, Madaripore and Bhanga 12 seers, and Gopalgunge 12½ seers.
S In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Patuakhali 10½ seers, Perozepore 11 seers and Bhola 11 seers.
T In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kishoreegunge 10½ seers, Attea 12 seers, Jamalpore 11½ seers and Netrokona 12 1/16 seers.

RETAIL SALE :—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY THE

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM, JOWAR.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	***Eastern Districts.*—(Concluded.**																		
		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
22	Chittagong ...	U 18 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...	13 0	12 0	13 0	16 0	16 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
23	Noakholly ...	V ...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	23 0	18 0	18 0	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
24	Tipperah ...	W 16 0	14 8	12 12	...	...	...	13 4	13 8	17 4	17 4	16 13	19 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
25	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 6	12 4	10 0	12 4	13 5	11 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah	12 0	12 0	10 0	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	18 0	19 0	18 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	BEHAR.																		
26	Patna ...	21 0	20 0	17 8	24 0	23 0	32 0	12 0	11 0	14 0	13 0	13 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
27	Gya ...	X 15 8	16 8	22 0	21 0	21 0	26 0	10 8	10 0	12 8	12 0	12 4	16 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
28	Shahabad ...	Y 18 0	18 8	17 0 to 18 0	22 0	23 0	29 0	9 0	8 8	10 0	14 0	14 0	16 0 to 17 0	24 0	24 0	...	...	20 0	30 0
29	Durbhunga ...	Z 15 8	15 8	18 0	21 6	...	35 0	9 5	8 14	13 0	13 10	13 11	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
30	Mozufferpore ...	Z1 17 0	17 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	30 0	9 0	10 0	12 0	13 0	13 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
31	Sarun ...	Z2 18 8	17 8	17 0	22 0	22 0	29 0	8 0	8 0	10 0	12 0	12 0	18 0	...	...	...	25 0	25 0	32 0
32	Chumparun ...	Z3 15 8	16 0	18 0	21 0	22 0	40 0	10 0	10 0	13 0	11 0	12 8	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
33	Monghyr ...	Z4 17 13	19 11	19 3	21 0	22 4	28 5	11 9	10 12	15 12	12 9	12 9	16 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
34	Bhagulpore ...	Z5 17 10	17 10	16 6	21 7	21 7	30 5	11 6	11 6	16 6	13 14	13 14	17 11	...	...	...	...	...	...
35	Purneah ...	Z6 18 0	16 0	17 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	15 0	14 0	14 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
36	Maldah ...	20 0	21 0	17 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 8	17 0	13 8	14 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
37	Sonthal Pergha.	Z7 15 8	15 8	15 0	...	...	...	12 8	13 8	16 0	15 0	15 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	ORISSA.																		
38	Cuttack ...	15 12	14 7	11 13	...	...	...	13 2	13 2	15 2	13 6*	18 6	24 15	...	...	...	...	...	...
39	Pooree ...	Z8 13 12	13 2	11 13	...	...	...	15 12	15 12	23 10	23 10	23 10	32 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
40	Balasore ...	Z9 16 0	16 0	14 0	11 0	11 0	...	13 0	16 0	16 0	21 0	21 0	32 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE *South-Western Frontier Agency.*																		
41	Hazareebagh ...	Z10 14 0	14 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	20 0	10 0	9 0	10 0	14 0	14 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
42	Lohardugga ...	Z11 14 0	15 0	18 0	16 0	18 0	24 0	14 0	14 0	20 0	18 0	18 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
43	Singbhoom ...	18 0	18 0	20 0	24 0	24 0	32 0	20 0	20 0	32 0	24 0	24 0	36 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
44	Manbhoom ...	Z12 13 0	13 0	13 0	...	...	...	16 0	14 0	16 0	21 0	22 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

* In the interior the price of common rice ranged from 26 seers 4 chittacks to 32 seers 13 chittacks per rupee.
U The retail prices of salt per rupee were at Kumeeah 9 seers, Hathazaree 8 seers and Cox's Bazar 9 seers.
V In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 9 to 11 seers per rupee.
W In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Brahmunberiah 12½ seers, and Chandpore 12½ seers.
X The retail price of salt at Nowada sub-division was 10 seers per rupee.
Y In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Buxar 11½ seers and Bhabhua 10½ seers.
Z In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Tajpore 11½ seers and Madhubani 11 seers.
Z1 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Seetamarhee 10 seers and Hajeepore 10½ seers.
Z2 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Sewan 11 seers, Gopalgunge 12 seers.
Z3 In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 10 to 12 seers per rupee.

Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 31st May 1884.—(Concld.)

SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Kagi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 seers. Salt.			Districts.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		Eastern Districts.—(Concluded.)
h.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	12 0	12 0	120 0	120 0	...	10 0	10 0	9 0	3 14	3 12	4 0	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	13 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0	3 6	3 6	3 6	Noakholly
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	16 0	12 12	...	...	...	12 0	11 0	12 0	3 4	3 8	3 4	Tipperah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	320 0	320 0	320 0	8 0	8 0	6 1	4 8	4 8	5 4	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	12 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Hill Tipperah.
																		BEHAR.
...	...	...	24 0	24 0	32 0	21 0	21 0	29 8	100 0	100 0	130 0	10 8	11 0	10 8	3 2	3 0	3 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	20 4	23 8	180 0	180 0	180 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 5	Gya.
...	...	...	...	...	...	24 0	24 0	24 0 to 28 0	140 0	120 0	120 0	12 0	12 0	12 8	3 1	3 1	3 1	Shahabad.
20 5	17 9	40 0	20 5	19 14	40 0	21 3	20 15	25 0	176 0	176 0	160 0	13 8	13 1	10 0	3-1-1	3 5	3 10	Durbhunga.
...	...	...	18 0	18 0	35 0	21 0	21 0	25 0	140 0	140 0	140 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Muzufferpore.
22 0	22 0	32 0	22 0	21 8	32 0	22 0	21 8	28 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	11 8	11 0	11 0	3 6	3 6	3 6	Sarun.
...	...	...	...	...	...	19 0	20 0	26 0	...	...	...	11 8	11 0	11 8	3 6	3 7	3 6	Chumparun
...	...	...	21 0	24 2	33 9	23 1	26 0	27 4	126 0	126 0	126 0	12 1	12 1	12 0	3-2-6	3-2-6	3-2-6	Monghyr.
...	...	...	18 15	18 15	30 5	21 7	20 13	25 4	151 8	151 8	189 6	12 10	12 10	12 10	3 0	3 0	3-0-6	Bhagulpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	20 0	20 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	10 8	10 8	10 0	3 10	3 10	...	Purneah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	23 0	23 0	22 0	160 0	200 0	120 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 8	3 8	3 6	Maldah.
...	...	...	19 0	19 0	30 0	18 0	18 8	20 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	9 0	9 8	10 0	3 14	3 12	...	Sonthal Pergns.
																		ORISSA.
15 13	15 12	13 2	...	...	...	23 5	23 5	21 0	80 0	80 0	80 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	2 12	2 12	2 12	Cuttack.
...	...	...	...	...	...	22 5	21 0	19 11	80 0	80 0	105 0	13 0	16 0	14 0	2 6	3 0	2 11	Pooree.
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	13 0	4 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	9 0	8 8	8 0	3 12	4 8	...	Balasore.
																		CHOTA NAGPORE. South-Western Frontier Agency.
21 0	20 0	30 0	18 0	18 0	20 0	17 0	16 8	18 0	320 0	320 0	240 0	10 0	11 0	11 0	3 11	3-10-3	...	Hazareebagh.
26 0	28 0	30 0	16 0	18 0	24 0	13 0	14 0	15 0	130 0	120 0	120 0	8 0	10 0	9 8	4 10	3 12	4 0	Lunardugga.
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	24 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	Singbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	17 0	240 0	140 0	120 0	10 10	10 8	10 0	3 4	3 4	3 8	Manbhoom.

Z4 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Begusarai 11 seers and Jamui 12 seers.
Z5 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Banka 12 seers, Madhupura 10 seers and Soopole 11 seers.
Z6 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Kissengunge 9 seers, and at Raneegunge in Arrareah sub-division 11 seers.
Z7 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Deoghur 13 seers, Rajmehal 11 seers and Godda 12 seers.
Z8 The retail price of salt at Khorda sub-division was 16 seers per rupee.
Z9 The retail price of salt at Bhadruck was 8 seers per rupee.
Z10 The retail price of salt at Chattra and Kharrackdiha was 11 seers per rupee.
Z11 The retail price of salt at Daltongunge in Palamow sub division was 8½ seers per rupee.
Z12 The retail prices of salt were at Ragunathpore 12 seers and Govindpore 11 seers per rupee.

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PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD, AND SALT IN THE DISTRICTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 15TH JUNE 1884.

PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood and Salt in the

RETAIL SALE:—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY

Number.	DISTRICTS.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice, best sort.			Rice, common.			Bŏlrust Millet Cumboo, Bajra.			Great Millet—Cholum Jowar.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL																		
	Western Districts.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S.Ch.
1	Burdwan ...	A 14 8	15 12	15 8	27 8	26 0	30 0	13 4	13 8	19 0	17 0	17 4	24 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
2	Bankoora ...	B 16 8	16 8	14 0	19 0	19 0	19 0	15 0	15 8	18 12	17 8	18 0	24 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
3	Beerbhoom ...	C 16 8	16 8	15 12	...	...	...	13 12	12 12	16 8	16 0	15 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
4	Midnapore ...	D 12 0	12 0	14 0	20 0	20 0	17 0	14 0	14 0	18 0	18 0	18 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
5	Hooghly ...	E 18 0	18 0	13 8	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	10 0	14 0	14 0	18 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Howrah ...	14 8	14 8	13 0	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	14 8	14 0	14 4	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Central Districts.																		
	Calcutta ...	16 0	16 0	14 4	20 0	16 0	19 6	8 0	8 0	10 5	13 0	13 0	16 0	15 0	15 0	20 0	17 0	17 0	...
6	24-Pergunnahs	F 14 0	14 4	13 5	16 0	18 4	16 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	15 0	14 4	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
7	Nuddea ...	G 16 12	16 12	14 8	20 0	20 0	22 15	12 5	12 5	15 4	13 5½	13 5½	17 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Khoolna ...	H ...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	17 0	16 0	14 0	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Jessore ...	I 16 0	16 0	14 8	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	22 12	...	..	..	...	...	...
10	Moorshedabad ...	J 19 0	19 0	17 0	...	...	...	12 8	12 0	16 0	15 8	14 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
11	Dinagepore ...	13 4	13 8	11 0	13 0	13 0	11 0	14 4	15 0	18 0	16 0	16 1	20 6	...	...	...	...	...	...
12	Rajshahye ...	K 20 9	20 5	16 8	32 0	32 0	30 0	12 0	12 0	13 8 to 16 0	13 2	13 2	17 4 to 18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
13	Rungpore ...	L 20 1	16 0	11 7	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	13 5	13 12	13 14	17 3		...	...	...	...	...
14	Bogra ...	15 0	12 12	15 0	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	12 0	15 0	15 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
15	Pubna ...	M 24 0	24 0	19 8	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	8 0	15 0	15 0	17 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
16	Darjeeling ...	N ...	8 0	8 0	...	10 0	8 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	11 0	11 0	9 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
17	Julpigoree ...	O 10 0	11 0	10 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	10 0	11 0	13 4	13 0	13 0	18 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
	Eastern Districts.																		
18	Dacca ...	P 16 0	17 0	14 8	21 0	26 0	19 0	12 8	12 8	15 12	15 0	15 0	19 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
19	Furreedpore ...	Q 20 0	20 0	20 0	34 0	35 0	30 0	13 0	12 0	16 0	15 0	15 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
20	Backergunge ...	R ...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	15 0	19 0	15 0	18 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
21	Mymensingh ...	S 13 8	14 0	12 0	...	...	...	11 0	12 0	13 0	16 0	16 0	17 8	...	...	...	...	...	...

A In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Culna 14 seers, Cutwa 12½ seers and Ranegunge 12½ seers.
B The retail price of salt in the interior ranged from 11 to 13 seers per rupee.
C The retail price of salt in the interior ranged from 11 to 13$\frac{5}{12}$ seers per rupee.
D In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Ghattal 13½ seers and Contai 10½ seers.
E In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 12½ to 13$\frac{2}{12}$ seers per rupee.
F In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Baraset and Basirhat 13 seers, Barrackpore 12½ seers, and Diamond Harbour 11 seers.
G In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Koosbtea 13 seers, Chooadanga 15 seers, Meherpore 11½ seers, Ranaghat 12½ seers.
H In the sub-divisions the retail price of salt per rupee was:—At Satkhira and Bagirhat 11 seers.
I In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Jhenidah and Magurah 12 seers, Narail 14 seers, and Bongong 13 seers.
J In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Lalbagh and Jungypore 11 seers, and Kandi 12 seers.

Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 15th June 1884.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per maund of 40 seers. Salt.			DISTRICTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		BENGAL.
																		Western Districts.
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	19 0	18 12	21 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 0	13 0	12 0	2-15-4	2-15-4	3-1-3	Burdwan.
...	...	...	24 0	27 0	38 0	18 8	18 4	18 8	320 0	320 0	320 0	12 12	12 12	12 0	3 2	3 2	3-3-6	Bankoora.
...	...	...	...	...	...	19 8	19 8	21 0	160 0	160 0	200 0	12 0	12 0	10 8	3-2-6	3-2-6	3-10-3	Beerbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	155 0	155 0	155 0	12 12	12 12	13 0	2 14	2 14	2 14	Midnapore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	19 0	17 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 9	13 9	13 9	2 14	2 14	2 14	Hooghly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 8	18 8	17 0	80 0	80 0	80 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	3 0	3 0	3 0	Howrah.
																		Central Districts.
...	...	...	...	...	26 8	18 10	18 10	17 12	100 0	100 0	90 0	13 0	13 0	14 0	2 12	2 12	2 12	Calcutta.
...	...	...	16 0	20 0	16 0	17 8	17 12	16 0	105 0	100 0	80 0	12 13	12 13	13 5	3 0	3 0	2 14	24-Pergunnahs.
...	...	...	...	...	...	21 5½	21 5½	20 0	...	...	...	11 10½	11 10½	10 10½	3 0	3 0	3-1-11	Nuddea.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 9	15 0	16 0	200 0	180 0	180 0	11 0	10 8	10 8	3 4	3 4	3 4	Khoolna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	22 12	24 0	20 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	10 12	10 12	11 0	3 2	3 2	3 4	Jessore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	24 0	23 8	27 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	11 9	10 9	12 0	3 3	3 6	3 4	Moorshedabad.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	16 0	17 8	140 0	160 0	160 0	11 8	12 0	11 8	3 6	3 4	3 7	Dinagepore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	22 0	23 8	21 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	12 6	12 6	10 8	3-3-6	3-3-6	3-13-9	Rajshahye.
...	...	...	...	...	...	13 12	13 5	16 0	110 0	110 0	110 0	11 14	11 14	11 14	3 5	3 5	3 5	Rungpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 4	22 8	15 12	90 0	90 0	67 8	10 8	12 0	10 8	3-5-4	3-5-4	3-6-8	Bogra.
...	...	...	...	...	...	24 0	24 0	18 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	12 6	12 6	11 4	3 2	3 2	3 5	Pubna.
11 0	11 0	9 0	13 0	13 0	16 0	10 0	10 0	8 0	120 0	1.8 0	198 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 6	4 8	4 8	Darjeeling.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	14 0	128 0	128 0	128 0	12 4	12 4	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Julpigoree.
																		Eastern District.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	18 0	14 8	90 0	90 0	90 0	12 8	12 8	12 4	3 2	3 2	3 2	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	16 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3 2	3 2	3 5	Furreedpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 0	17 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	...	13 0	13 0	2 11	2 11	2 11	Backergunge.
...	...	...	...	...	..	18 0	16 0	13 4	...	...	...	12 12	12 12	12 4	3 2	3 0	3 4	Mymensingh.

K In the sub-divisions of Nattore and Nowgong the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.
L In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Nilphamari 12 seers, Gaibanda 14 seers.
M The retail price of salt at Serajgunge was 13 seers per rupee.
N The retail prices of salt at Kurseong 8 seers, and Siliguri 10 seers per rupee.
O The retail price of salt at Falacota in Alipore sub-division was 10 seers per rupee.
P In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Manickgunge 12 seers, and Naraingunge 13 seers.
Q In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Madaripore and Bhanga 12 seers, and Gopalgunge 12½ seers.
R In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Patuakhali 10½ seers, Perozepore 11 seers and Bhola 10 seers.
S In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kishoregunge 10½ seers, Attea 12 seers, and Netrokona 12 1/16 seers.

RETAIL SALE :—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY THE

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, PAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM JOWAR.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	Eastern Districts.—Concluded.																		
		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
22	Chittagong ...	T 13 4	13 0	12 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	13 0	16 8	16 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
23	Noakholly ...	U ...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	20 0	18 0	18 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
24	Tipperah ...	16 0	16 0	12 12	...	...	...	14 4	13 4	17 8	17 4	17 4	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
25	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 4	11 6	12 8	13 5	13 4	13 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah	12 0	12 0	10 0	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	16 0	18 0	19 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	BEHAR.																		
26	Patna ...	21 0	21 0	17 8	24 0	24 0	32 0	12 0	12 0	14 0	13 0	13 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
27	Gya ...	16 0	15 8	20 0	21 0	21 0	27 0	9 8	10 8	12 0	12 0	12 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
28	Shahabad ...	V 18 0	18 0	17 0 to 18 0	22 0	22 0	27 0	9 0	9 0	11 8 to 12 0	14 0	14 0	15 8 to 15 0	22 0	24 0	30 0	...	...	25 0
29	Durbhunga ...	W 15 6	15 8	17 0	20 15	21 6	35 0	9 5	9 5	13 0	14 4	13 10	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
30	Mozufferpore ...	X 17 0	17 0	17 0	20 0	20 0	28 0	10 0	9 0	12 0	15 0	13 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
31	Sa'un ...	Y 18 8	18 8	17 0	22 0	22 0	27 0	8 0	8 0	10 0	12 0	12 0	18 0	...	...	...	23 0	25 0	29 0
32	Chumparun ...	Z 15 8	15 8	19 0	22 0	21 0	40 0	10 0	10 0	13 0	12 0	11 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
33	Monghyr ...	Z1 18 8	17 13	18 14	21 0	21 0	31 8	10 8	11 9	14 10	12 9	12 9	16 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
34	Bhagulpore ...	Z2 16 14	17 10	16 6	20 4	21 7	27 8	11 5	11 6	15 12	13 14	13 14	17 10	...	...	...	...	...	...
35	Purneah ...	Z3 18 0	18 0	16 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	14 0	14 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
36	Maldah ...	20 0	20 0	17 8	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	16 0	14 0	13 8	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
37	Southal Pergns.	Z4 13 0	15 8	14 0	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	16 0	15 0	15 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	ORISSA.																		
38	Cuttack ...	14 7	15 12	11 13	...	...	...	13 2	13 2	14 7	18 6*	18 6	23 10	...	...	...	...	...	...
39	Pooree ...	Z5 ...	...	...	...	...	...	14 7	15 12	21 0	21 0	23 10	23 10	...	...	...	...	...	...
40	Balasore ...	Z6 16 0	16 0	14 0	11 0	11 0	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	21 0	21 0	28 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*																		
41	Hazareebagh ...	Z7 14 0	14 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	22 0	9 0	10 0	10 0	13 8	14 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
42	Lohardugga ...	13 0	14 0	17 0	15 0	16 0	22 0	14 0	14 0	18 0	18 0	18 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
43	Singbhoom ...	18 0	18 0	20 0	22 0	24 0	32 0	20 0	20 0	32 0	24 0	24 0	36 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
44	Manbhoom ...	Z8 13 0	13 0	18 0	...	...	...	14 0	16 0	18 0	21 0	21 0	27 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

* In the interior the price of rice ranged from 23 seers 10 chittacks to 32 seers 13 chittacks per rupee.

T The retail prices of salt per rupee were Kumeriah 9 seers, and Hathazaree 8 seers.

U In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 9 to 12½ seers per rupee.

V In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Buxar 11½ seers, Bhabhua 10 seers and Sasseram 11 seers.

W In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Tajpore 11½ seers and Madhubani 11 seers.

X The retail price of salt in the interior ranged from 10 to 12½ seers per rupee.

Y The retail price of salt at Gopal unge was 12 seers per rupee.

Z The retail price of salt in the interior ranged from 10 to 12 seers per rupee.

Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 15th June 1884.—(Concld.)

SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena			Maize or Indian-corn			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 Seers. Salt.			Districts.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		Eastern Districts.—(Concluded.)
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. C	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	12 0	120 0	120 0	40 0	8 0	10 0	9 0	4 12	3 14	4 0	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0	3 6	3 6	3 6	Noakholly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 8	15 0	13 4	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	12 4	3 4	3 4	3 4	Tipperah.
...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	320 0	320 0	320 0	8 0	8 0	6 1	4 8	4 8	6 0	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
..	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	12 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Hill Tipperah.
																		BEHAR.
...	...	...	24 0	24 0	32 0	21 0	21 0	29 8	100 0	100 0	130 0	10 8	10 8	10 8	3 2	3 2	3 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	20 0	25 0	180 0	180 0	180 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 5	Gya.
...	...	...	...	...	...	23 0	24 0	28 0	140 0	140 0	110 0	12 0	12 0	12 8	3 1	3 1	3 1	Shahabad.
19 14	20 5	40 0	19 14	20 5	40 0	22 0	21 3	25 0	165 0	176 0	160 0	12 1	13 8	10 0	3 3	3-1-1	3 10	Durbhunga.
...	...	..	20 0	18 0	32 0	21 0	21 0	25 0	140 0	140 0	140 0	12 0	12 0	11 8	3 4	3 4	3 6	Mozufferpore.
20 0	22 0	30 0	22 0	22 0	30 0	21 0	22 0	27 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	11 8	11 8	11 0	3 5	3 6	3 8	Sarun.
...	...	..	21 0	...	...	20 0	19 0	28 0	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	11 8	3 7	3 6	3 6	Chumparun.
...	...	...	21 0	21 0	33 9	24 3	23 1	26 4	126 0	126 0	126 0	12 1	12 1	12 1	3-2-6	3-2-6	3-2-3	Monghyr.
...	...	...	21 8	18 15	...	20 14	21 7	24 10	151 8	151 8	151 8	12 10	12 10	12 10	3 0	3 0	3-3-1	Bhagulpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	20 0	20 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	10 12	10 8	10 0	...	3 10	...	Purneah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	23 0	23 0	23 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	10 0	11 0	11 0	3 12	3 8	3 7	Maldah.
...	...	...	20 0	19 0	30 0	18 0	18 0	20 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	10 2	9 0	9 0	3 14	3 14	4 7	Sonthal Pergns.
																		ORISSA.
15 13	15 12	13 2	...	...	...	23 5	23 5	18 6	80 0	80 0	80 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	2 12	2 12	2 12	Cuttack.
...	...	...	...	...	...	19 11	23 5	18 6	80 0	80 0	104 0	16 0	16 0	14 0	2 6	2 6	2 12	Pooree.
...	...	...	...	...	.	14 0	4 0	4 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	9 0	9 0	8 0	3 12	3 12	...	Balasore.
																		CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*
19 0	21 0	30 0	16 0	18 0	21 0	15 0	17 0	18 0	320 0	320 0	240 0	10 0	10 0	9 9	3 11	3 11	3-15-3	Hazareebagh.
26 0	26 0	29 0	15 0	16 0	...	12 0	13 0	14 0	130 0	130 0	120 0	9 0	8 0	9 0	4 4	4 10	4 2	Lohardugga.
...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	15 0	24 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	Singbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	17 0	160 0	240 0	120 0	10 10	10 10	10 0	3 6	3 4	3 7	Manbhoom.

Z1 The retail price of salt at Begusarai and Jamui was 11 seers per rupee.
Z2 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Banka and Soopole 11 seers, and Madhupura 10 seers.
Z3 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kissengunge 9 seers, and at Raneegunge in Arrareah sub-division 11 seers.
Z4 The retail price of salt at Rajmehal was 10 seers per rupee.
Z5 The retail price of salt at Khorda was 16 seers per rupee.
Z6 The retail price of salt at Bhadruck was 8 seers per rupee.
Z7 The retail price of salt at Chattra 10 seers, and at Kharrackdiha 11½ seers per rupee.
Z8 In the sub-division of Govindpore the retail price of salt was 11 seers per rupee.

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PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD, AND SALT IN THE DISTRICTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 30TH JUNE 1884

PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood and Salt in the

RETAIL SALE:—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY

Number.	DISTRICTS.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice, best sort.			Rice, common.			Bulrush Millet Cumboo, Bajra.			Great Millet—Cholum Jowar.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL																		
	Western Districts.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch	S. Ch.	S Ch	S. Ch.	S.Ch.
1	Burdwan ...	A 15 12	14 8	16 0	26 4	27 8	20 0	13 4	13 4	18 12	17 0	17 0	23 13	...	...	..	...	...	...
2	Bankoora ...	B 16 8	16 8	13 12	18 0	19 0	14 0	15 0	15 0	18 8	17 8	17 8	24 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
3	Beerbhoom ...	C 16 8	16 8	15 0	...	...	...	13 14	13 12	18 0	16 0	16 0	22 8	...	...	..	..	....	...
4	Midnapore ...	D 12 0	12 0	14 0	20 0	20 0	16 0	15 0	14 0	18 0	18 0	18 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
5	Hooghly ...	15 0	18 0	13 8	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	10 0	14 0	14 0	18 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Howrah ...	14 8	14 8	13 4	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	13 4	13 8	14 0	19 8	...	...	..	...	...	...
	Central Districts.																		
	Calcutta ...	16 0	16 0	14 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	8 0	8 0	10 5	13 0	13 0	16 0	15 0	15 0	20 0	17 0	17 0	...
6	24-Pergunnahs*	14 8	14 —	13 5	17 8	16 —	16 0	8 —	8 —	8 0	16 —	15 —	18 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
7	Nuddea ...	E 17 4	16 12	14 8	20 0	20 0	...	12 5	12 5	15 4	13 5½	13 5½	16 13½	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Khoolna ...	F ...	...	...	...	...	...	12 8	12 0	17 0	17 0	16 0	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Jessore ...	G 15 0	16 0	14 8	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	15 0	16 0	22 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
10	Moorshedabad ...	H 18 0	19 0	15 0	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	15 0	15 8	15 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
11	Dinagepore ...	14 8	13 4	13 8	13 0	13 0	...	14 8	14 4	18 0	15 8	16 0	19 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
12	Rajshahye ...	I 18 4	20 9	16 8	30 0	32 0	30 0	12 0	12 0	13 8 to 16 0	13 2	13 2	17 4 to 18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
13	Rungpore ...	J 20 0	20 1	11 7	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	13 5	13 12	13 12	17 3		...	...	...	...	...
14	Bogra ...	12 12	15 0	15 0	...	...	...	10 8	9 12	12 0	15 0	15 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
15	Pubna ...	K 24 0	24 0	19 8	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	8 0	15 0	15 0	19 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
16	Darjeeling ...	L ...	...	8 0	10 0	...	8 0	5 0	5 0	4 0	11 0	11 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
17	Julpigoree ...	M 10 0	10 0	9 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	11 0	10 0	11 8	13 0	13 0	16 0	...	...	-	...	...	...
	Eastern Districts.																		
18	Dacca ...	N 16 0	16 0	12 4	21 0	21 0	18 12	12 8	12 8	15 8	15 0	15 0	19 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
19	Furreedpore ...	O 20 0	20 0	20 0	34 0	34 0	30 0	13 8	13 0	16 0	15 0	15 0	18 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
20	Backergunge ...	P ...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	13 0	19 0	18 0	15 0	21 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
21	Mymensingh ...	Q 12 8	13 8	11 8	...	...	...	12 0	11 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	17 8	...	...	...	...	...	...

* ~~Not received.~~

A In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Culna 14 seers, Cutwa 13 seers, and Raneegunge 13¾ seers.
B In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 11 to 16 seers per rupee.
C In the interior the retail price of salt per rupee ranged from 11 to 13$\frac{6}{16}$ seers.
D In the sub-division of Ghatial the retail price of salt was 14 seers per rupee.
E In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Koushtea 13 seers, Meherpore 11½ seers, Chooadanga 14 seers, and Ranaghat 12¾ seers.
F In the sub-divisions the retail price of salt per rupee was:—At Satkhira and Bagirhat 11 seers
G In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Jhenidah and Magurah 12 seers, Narail 14 seers, and Bongong 13 seers.
H In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Lalbagh and Jungypore 11 seers, and Kandi 12 seers.

Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 30th June 1884.

Salt.			WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF 40 SEERS.			AVERAGE WAGES PER MONTH.									DISTRICTS.
			Salt.			Able-bodied Agricultural Labourer.			Syce or Horse-keeper.			Common Mason Carpenter, or Blacksmith.			
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
															BENGAL
															Western Districts.
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
13 4	13 0	12 4	3 0 0	2 15 4	3 1 0	9 6	9 6	7 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	10 0 to 15 0	10 0 to 15 0	10 0 to 14 0	Burdwan.
13 0	12 12	12 0	3 1 3	3 2 0	3 3 6	6 0 to 9 0	6 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 9 0	4 8 to 6 8	4 9 to 7 8	4 8 to 6 8	7 8 to 12 0	7 8 to 15 0	7 8 to 12 0	Bankoors.
12 0	12 0	10 0	3 2 6	3 2 6	3 12 6	4 0	4 0	4 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	9 0	9 0	10 0	Beerbhoom.
12 12	12 12	13 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	5 10	6 0	6-1-6	6 0	5 8	6 0	7 8 to 11 4	7 8 to 10 0	7 8 to 10 0	Midnapore.
13 9	13 9	13 9	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	6 8	8 0	6 0 to 7 8	6 7	7 0	...	10 0 to 20 0	10 0 to 30 0	10 0 to 30 0	Hooghly.
13 0	13 0	13 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	14 0	14 0	14 0	Howrah.
															Central Districts.
13 0	13 0	14 0	2 13 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	12 0	15 0	15 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	Calcutta.
12 13	12 13	13 5	3 ...	3 ...	2 14 0	12 0	10 0	10 0	8 0	6 0	...	... to 15 0	15 0 to 20 0	...	24-Pergunnahs.
11 10½	11 10½	10 10½	3 0 0	.....	3 0 0	6 ...	6 0	6 0	6 ...	6 0	6 0	7 ... to 15 0	7 0 to 15 0	7 8 to 15 0	Nuddea.
12 0	11 9	10 8	3 2 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	9 0 to 12 0	9 0 to 11 0	9 0 to 12 0	6 0 to 8 0	6 0 to 8 0	6 0 to 8 0	10 0 to 15 0	10 0 to 16 0	10 0 to 15 0	Khoolna.
10 12	10 12	10 12	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 4 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	15 0	15 0	13 0 to 15 0	Jessore.
11 9	11 9	10 0	3 3 0	3 3 0	.....	5 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	Moorshedabad.
12 0	11 8	11 8	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 7 0	7 8	6 0 to 7 8	6 0 to 7 0	7 0	6 0 to 8 0	5 0 to 8 0	15 0	8 0 to 20 0	8 0 to 20 0	Dinagepore.
12 6	12 6	11 4	3 3 6	3 3 6	.....	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	5 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0	10 0 to 14 0	10 0 to 14 0	7 0 to 15 0	Rajshahye.
11 14	11 14	11 14	3 5 0	3 5 0	3 5 0	...	...	7 8	...	...	...	...	...	...	Rungpore.
12 0	10 8	10 8	3 4 0	3 5 4	3 8 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 ... to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	6 0	5 0 to 7 0	6 0	10 0 to 15 0	10 0 to 15 0	10 0 to 15 0	Bogra.
12 6	12 6	12 0	3 2 6	3 2 0	3 4 0	...	...	6 0 to 7 0	...	5 0 to 6 0	6 0 to 7 8	...	10 0 to 20 0	11 0 to 20 0	Pubna.
8 0	8 0	8 0	4 4 0	4 6 0	4 8 0	7 0	7 0	7 8	7 0 to 9 0	7 0 to 9 0	...	15 0 to 25 0	15 0 to 25 0	...	Darjeelin .
12 4	12 4	11 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 6 0	7 0	7 8	7 0 to 8 0	7 0	8 0	7 0	15 0 to 20 0	20 0 to 30 0	15 0 to 20 0	Julpigoree.
															Eastern Districts.
12 8	12 8	12 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 4 0	6 0 to 7 8	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 8 0	4 0 to 8 0	5 0 to 6 0	8 0 to 20 0	8 0 to 25 0	8 0 to 16 0	Dacca.
12 0	12 0	11 8	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 7 0	7 8	8 8	8 8	7 0	7 8	7 0	12 0 to 15 0	15 0	15 0	Furreedpore.
13 0	...	13 0	2 11 0	2 11 0	2 11 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	8 0 to 15 0	8 0 to 15 0	8 0 to 15 0	Backergunge.
12 12	12 12	12 0	3 3 0	3 2 0	3 4 0	8 0 to 11 0	8 0 to 9 0	8 0 to 9 0	6 0 to 7 0	6 0	6 0	15 0 to 30 0	12 0 to 30 0	12 0 to 30 0	Mymensingh.

* In the sub-divisions the retail price of salt per rupee was Nattore and Nowgong 12 seers.
J In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Gaibanda 14 seers, Kurigram 13 seers, and Nilphamari 12 seers.
K The retail price of salt at Serajgunge was 13 seers per rupee.
L In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kurseong 8 seers, Siliguri 10 seers.
M The retail price of salt at Falacota in Alipore sub-division was 10 seers per rupee.
N In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Manickgunge 12 seers, Narainguuge 13 seers, and Moonshegunge 10 seers 10½ chittacks.
O In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Goalundo 13 seers, and Madaripore and Bhanga 12 seers.
P In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Patuakhali 10½ seers, Perozepore 11 seers and Bhola 10 seers.
Q In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kishoregunge 10½ seers, Attea and Jamalpore 12 seers, and Netrokona 12½ seers.

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Statistical Table
Calcutta the 14th July 1884.

By order

RETAIL SALE :—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY THE

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM JOWAR.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	***Eastern Districts.*—Concluded.**	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch	S Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
22	Chittagong ...	S 18 4	13 4	12 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	13 0	16 0	16 8	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
23	Noakholly ...	T ...	...	...	...	...	..	16 0	16 0	20 0	18 0	18 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
24	Tipperah ...	U 16 0	16 0	11 6	...	...	...	13 0	14 4	18 8	15 8	17 4	19 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
25	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 5	12 4	12 4	13 5	13 5	13 5	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah	12 0	12 0	10 0	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	17 0	18 0	18 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	BEHAR.																		
26	Patna ..	20 0	21 0	17 8	21 0	24 0	32 0	11 0	12 0	14 0	14 0	13 0	19 0	..	...	..	...	...	...
27	Gya ...	V 15 0	16 0	20 8	20 0	21 0	26 0	9 8	9 8	12 0	12 0	12 0	15 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
28	Shahabad ..	W 18 0	18 0	17 0 to 18 0	22 0	22 0	25 0	9 0	9 0	11 0 to 12 0	13 0	14 0	15 0 to 15 0	22 0	22 0	32 0	...	...	...
29	Durbhunga ...	X 16 0	15 6	17 0	...	20 15	37 0	10 15	9 5	13 8	14 4	14 4	18 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
30	Mozufferpore ...	Y 17 0	17 0	17 0	20 0	20 0	23 0	10 0	10 0	13 0	15 0	15 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
31	Sarun ...	Z 18 8	18 8	17 0	22 0	22 0	27 0	8 0	8 0	10 0	12 4	12 0	18 0	...	...	..	21 0	23 0	30 0
32	Chumparun ...	Z1 16 0	15 8	19 0	23 0	22 0	36 0	10 0	10 0	13 0	12 0	12 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
33	Monghyr ...	Z2 18 14	18 8	18 10	21 0	21 0	27 14	11 0	10 8	13 14	13 1	12 9	15 12	...	...	..	...	...	...
34	Bhagulpore ...	Z3 16 14	16 14	16 6	20 3	20 4	27 12	12 0	11 5	15 2	13 14	13 14	17 10	...	...	..	...	...	...
35	Purneah ...	Z4 18 0	18 0	16 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	14 0	14 0	28 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
36	Maldah ...	20 0	20 0	17 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
37	Sonthal Pergs.	Z5 14 0	13 0	14 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 8	16 0	15 0	15 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	ORISSA																		
38	Cuttack ...	15 12	14 7	13 2	...	...	...	13 2	13 2	13 2	18 6*	18 6	22 5	...	...	..	...	...	...
39	Pooree ..	13 2	...	13 2	...	...	...	14 7	14 7	20 0	21 0	21 0	23 10	...	...	...	...	...	...
40	Balasore ...	Z6 16 0	16 0	14 0	11 0	11 0	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	20 0	21 0	28 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE *South-Western Frontier Agency.*																		
41	Hazareebagh ...	Z7 14 0	14 0	16 0	...	16 0	16 0	10 0	9 0	10 0	12 8	13 8	16 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
42	Lohardugga ...	13 0	14 0	16 0	14 0	15 0	22 0	13 0	14 0	18 0	17 0	18 0	22 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
43	Singbhoom ...	18 0	18 0	18 0	22 0	22 0	32 0	30 0	20 0	36 0	24 0	24 0	40 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
44	Manbhoom ...	Z8 13 0	13 0	13 0	...	...	24 0	14 0	16 0	17 0	21 0	21 0	27 0	...	...	..	...	...	...

* The price of rice ranged in the interior from 23 seers 10 chittacks to 32 seers.

S In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Cox's Bazar 9 seers, and Kumeriah 9 seers.

T In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 9 to 12½ seers per rupee.

U In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Chandpore 12⅝ seers, and Brahmanbariah 12⅞ seers.

V In the sub-division of Arungabad the retail price of salt was 11 seers per rupee.

W In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Buxar 11½ seers, Sasseram 10½ seers, and Bhabhua 11 seers.

X In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Tajpore 11½ seers, and Madhubani 11 seers.

Y In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 10 to 12 seers per rupee.

Z In the sub-division the retail price of salt per rupee were :—Sewan 11½ seers and Gopalgunge 12 seers.

SALT.			WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF 40 SEERS.			AVERAGE WAGES PER MONTH.									DISTRICTS.
			SALT.			ABLE-BODIED AGRICULTURAL LABOURER.			SYCE OR HORSE-KEEPER.			COMMON MASON, CARPENTER, OR BLACKSMITH.			
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
															Eastern Districts.—(Concluded.)
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
9 8	8 0	9 0	4 0 0	4 12 0	4 0 0	9 0 to 11 0	7 8 to 9 0	7 8 to 11 4	7 0 to 8 0	6 0 to 7 0	6 0 to	12 0 to 14 0	7 8 to 10 0	7 8 to 10 8	Chittagong.
10 0	10 0	10 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	7 0 to 8 0	7 0 to 8 0	1 0 to 8 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 7 0	to 7 0	7 0 to 20 0	7 0 to 20 0	7 0 to 20 0	Noakholly.
12 0	12 0	11 8	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 6 0	6 0 to 9 0	6 0 to 8 0	6 0 to 9 0	5 0 to 7 0	5 0 to 7 0	5 0 to 7 0	7 0 to 16 0	6 0 to 5 0	7 0 to 16 0	Tipperah.
6 6	8 0	6 4	5 0 0	4 8 0	6 0 0	...	10 0	8 8	..	...	..	...	...	...	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	13 8	14 0	13 0	Hill Tipperah.
															BEHAR.
10 8	10 8	10 8	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 0 0	4 0 to 5 0	3 0 to 4 0	3 0 to 4 0	4 8 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 8	4 0 to 5 0	6 0 to 8 0	5 10 to 8 0	5 10 to 8 0	Patna.
11 0	11 0	12 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 6 0	...	2 8 to 3 0	2 8 to 3 0	...	3 0 to 5 0	3 0 to 5 0	..	6 0 to 8 0	1 0 to 8 0	Gya.
12 0	12 0	12 8	3 1 0	3 1 0	3 1 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	7 8	6 0 to 7 8	6 0 to 7 8	Shahabad.
12 8	12 1	10 0	3 1 6	3 3 0	3 10 0	3 12 to 5 0	2 13* to 3 12	3 0 to 5 0	3 12 to 5 0	2 8 to 4 0	3 8 to 5 0	3 12 to 15 0	5 10 to 8	4 8 to 10 0	Durbhunga.
12 0	12 0	11 8	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 6 0	...	3 0 to 5 0	3 0 to 5 0	...	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	...	5 0 to 8 0	5 0 to 8 0	Mozufferpore.
11 0	11 8	11 0	3 5 0	3 5 0	3 6 0	4 12 to 6 4	5 10 to 7 8	4 12 to 7 8	4 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 6 0	6 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 10 0	Sarun.
11 8	11 8	11 0	3 7 0	3 7 0	3 10 0	5 12	5 12	6 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	8 0	8 0	6 0	Chumparun.
12 1	12 1	12 0	3 2 5	3 2 6	3 2 3	3 12	3 12	3 12	4 0	4 0	4 0	5 10 to 7 8	5 10 to 7 8	5 0 to 7 8	Monghyr.
12 10	12 10	12 10	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 6	...	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	...	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	...	6 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 10 0	Bhagulpore.
10 12	10 12	10 0	3 13 0	3 12 0	.....	5 0	4 11 to 5 10	4 11 to 5 10	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	7 0 to 16 0	7 0 to 16 0	7 0 to 16 0	Purneah.
10	10 0	10 0	3 4 0	3 12 0	3 4 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	5 0	5 0	5 0	6 8 to 15 0	7 8 to 13 2	7 8 to 15 0	Maldah.
10 8	10 2	10 0	3 12 0	3 14 0	.....	...	3 12	3 12 to 4 0	...	5 0	5 0	...	7 8 to 9 0	7 8 to 11 4	Sonthal Pergns.
															ORISSA.
14 0	14 0	14 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	5 10	5 10	5 10	4 0	4 0	4 0	7 8 to 10 0	7 8 to 10 0	7 8 to 10 0	Cuttack.
16 0	16 0	14 0	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 12 0	7 8	7 0	7 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	8 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 10 0	Pooree.
9 0	9 0	9 2	3 13 0	3 13 0	.....	4 to 5 0	5 10	5 10	4 0 to 5 0	6 0	6 0	6 0 to 10 0	7 8 to 9 0	7 8 to 9 0	Balasore.
															CHOTA NAGPORE.
															South-Western Frontier Agency.
10 0	10 0	9 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	3 15 3	5 0	4 8	5 0	6 0	5 0	5 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Hazarecbagh.
9 0	9 0	9 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 8	3 0 to 4 8	3 0 to 4 8	3 8 to 5 0	3 8 to 5 0	3 8 to 5 0	7 8 to 12 8	6 0 to 12 0	6 0 to 13 0	Lohardugga.
8 0	8 0	8 0	4 6 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 0	3 0	3 0	4 8	4 8	4 8	5 0 to 12 0	5 0 to 12 0	5 0 to 12 0	Singbhoom.
10 10	10 10	10 8	3 9 0	3 6 0	3 9 0	...	4 11	4 11	...	4 0	4 0	...	10 0	10 0	Manbhoom.

* Agricultural labourers are generally paid in kind, ordinarily 2½ seers of Dhanor Murwa are given as daily wages.
Z1 In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 10 to 12 seers per rupee.
Z2 In the sub-division of Begusarai and Jamui the retail price of salt was 11 seers per rupee.
Z3 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Banka 12½ seers, Madhusura 10½ seers, and Soopole 11 seers.
Z4 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kissengunge 10 seers, and at Raneegunge in Arrareah 11 seers.
Z5 In the sub-divisions the retail price of salt per rupee were:—Rajmehal 11 seers, and Godda 12 seers.
Z6 The retail price of salt at Bhadruck was 8 seers per rupee.
Z7 The retail price of salt at Chattra 10 seers, and at Kharrackdiha 11½ seers per rupee.
Z8 In the sub-division of Govindpore the retail price of salt was 11 seers per rupee.

PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD, AND SALT IN THE DISTRICTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 15TH JULY 1884.

PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood and Salt in the

RETAIL SALE:—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM JOWAR.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL																		
	Western Districts.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
1	Burdwan ...	A 15 0	15 12	16 0	22 8	26 4	30 0	12 8	13 4	17 4	17 4	17 0	22 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
2	Bankoora ...	B 16 8	16 8	14 12	18 0	18 0	16 0	12 8	15 0	19 0	16 4	17 8	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	Beerbhoom ...	C 15 0	16 8	15 12	...	...	...	13 8	13 14	16 8	16 0	16 4	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
4	Midnapore ...	D 12 0	12 0	14 0	20 0	20 0	17 0	14 0	15 0	18 0	18 0	18 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
5	Hooghly ...	E 14 0	15 0	13 8	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	10 0	14 0	14 0	18 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Howrah ...	14 0	14 8	13 4	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	13 8	13 4	13 8	17 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Central Districts.																		
	Calcutta ...	16 0	16 0	14 4	20 0	20 0	19 6	8 0	8 0	10 12	13 0	13 0	16 0	15 0	15 0	20 0	...	17 0	...
6	24-Pergunnahs	14 8	14 8	13 5	17 8	17 8 16 0	17 8	8 ...	8 0	8 0	14 ... 8	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
7	Nuddea ...	F 17 4	17 4	14 8	20 0	20 0	26 0	12 5	12 5	15 4	13 5½	13 5½	17 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Khoolna ...	G ...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	12 8	16 0	18 0	17 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Jessore ...	H 16 0	15 0	14 8	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	15 0	15 0	22 12	...		...	...	...	...
10	Moorshedabad ...	I 18 0	18 0	15 0	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	15 6	14 8	15 8	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
11	Dinagepore ...	J 14 8	14 8	13 14	18 0	18 0	...	14 8	14 8	16 0	15 8	15 8	18 13	...	...	...	...	...	...
12	Rajshahye ...	K 18 4	18 4	17 4	31 4	30 0	30 0	12 0	12 0	15 0 to 16 8	12 12	13 2	17 4 to 18 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
13	Rungpore ...	L 20 0	20 0	13 5	...	...	...	11 7	10 0	13 5	16 0	13 12	2 0		...	...	...	...	...
14	Bogra ...	16 4	12 12	15 12	...	...	...	9 12	10 8	12 12	15 12	15 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
15	Pubna ...	M 24 0	24 0	18 12	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	8 0	15 0	15 0	19 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
16	Darjeeling ...	N 9 0	...	8 0	10 0	10 0	8 0	5 0	5 0	4 0	11 0	11 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
17	Julpigoree ...	O 10 0	10 0	10 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	11 0	11 0	12 8	14 0	13 0	16 0	...	...		...	...	...
	Eastern Districts.																		
18	Dacca ...	P 16 0	16 0	12 4	...	21 0	19 0	12 10	12 8	15 12	16 0	15 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
19	Furreedpore ...	Q 20 0	20 0	20 0	34 0	34 0	30 0	14 0	13 8	16 0	15 0	15 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
20	Backergunge ...	R ...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	15 6	19 0	18 0	18 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
21	Mymensingh ...	S 13 0	12 8	11 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	15 8	16 0	16 0	19 8	...	...	...	...	...	...

—Not received.

A In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Culna 14½ seers, Cutwa 12½ seers, and Ranegunge 13½ seers.

B The retail price of salt in the interior ranged from 11 to 16 seers per rupee.

C The retail price of salt in the interior ranged from 11½ to 13½ seers per rupee.

D In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Ghatial 14½ seers and Contai 12½ seers.

E In the Jehannabad sub-division the retail price of salt was 13½ seers per rupee.

F In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kooshtea 13 seers, Meherpore 11½ seers, Chooadanga 14 seers, and Ranaghat 12½ seers.

G The retail price of salt at Satkhira was 11 seers per rupee.

H In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Jhanidah 12 seers, Magurah 10½ seers, Narail 14 seers, and Bongong 13 seers.

I In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Lalbagh and Jungypore 11 seers, and Kandi 12 seers.

Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 15th July 1884.

SALT.			WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF 40 SEERS.			AVERAGE WAGES PER MONTH.									DISTRICTS.
			SALT.			ABLE-BODIED AGRICULTURAL LABOURER.			SYCE OR HORSE-KEEPER.			COMMON MASON CARPENTER, OR BLACKSMITH.			
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
															BENGAL.
															Western Districts
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
13 5	13 4	12 4	2 15 7½	3 0 0	3 0 8	9 6	9 6	7 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	10 0 to 15 0	10 0 to 15 0	10 0 to 14 0	Burdwan.
13 0	13 0	12 0	3 1 3	3 1 3	3 3 6	6 0 to 9 0	6 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 9 0	4 8 to 6 8	4 0 to 7 8	4 8 to 6 8	7 8 to 12 0	7 8 to 15 0	7 8 to 12 0	Bankoora.
12 0	12 0	10 0	3 2 6	3 2 6	3 12 6	4 0	4 0	4 0	5 [illegible]	5 0	5 0	9 0	9 0	10 0	Beerbhoom.
12 12	12 12	12 8	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	5 10	6 0	6-1-6	6 0	5 8	6 0	7 8 to 11 4	7 8 to 10 0	7 8 to 10 0	Midnapore.
13 9	13 9	13 9	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	[illegible]	8 0	6 0 to 7 8	[illegible]	7 0	...	[illegible]	10 0 to 20 0	10 0 to 20 0	Hooghly.
13 0	13 0	13 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	14 0	14 0	14 0	Howrah.
															Central Districts.
13 0	13 0	14 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	13 0	15 0	15 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	Calcutta.
[illegible]	12 13	13 5	[illegible]	3 0 0	2 14 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	15 0 to 20 0	15 0 to 20 0	15 0 to 20 0	24-Pergunnahs.
11 10½	11 10½	10 10½	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	7 0 to 15 0	7 0 to 15 0	7 8 to 15 0	Nuddea.
12 0	12 0	10 8	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 4 0	9 0 to 12 0	9 0 to 11 0	9 0 to 12 0	6 0 to 8 0	6 0 to 8 0	6 0 to 8 0	10 0 to 15 0	10 0 to 16 0	10 0 to 15 0	Khoolna.
10 12	10 12	11 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	15 0	15 0	13 0 to 15 0	Jessore.
11 9	11 9	10 0	3 3 0	3 3 0	3 6 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	Moorshedabad.
12 0	12 0	11 6	3 4 0	3 6 0	3 7 0	7 8	6 0 to 7 8	6 0 to 7 0	7 0	6 0 to 8 0	5 0 to 8 0	15 0	8 0 to 20 0	8 0 to 20 0	Dinagepore.
12 9	12 6	12 0	3 1 0	3 3 6	[illegible]	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	5 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 8 0	5 0	10 0 to 14 0	10 0 to 14 0	7 0 to 15 0	Rajshahye.
11 15	11 14	11 14	3 4 0	3 5 0	3 5 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 0 to 7 0	6 0 to 7	6 0	12 0 to 15 0	12 0 to 15 0	12 0 to 15 0	Rungpore.
12 0	12 0	10 8	3 5 4	3 4 0	3 8 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	6 0	5 0 to 7 0	6 0	10 0 to 15 0	10 0 to 15 0	10 0 to 15 0	Bogra.
12 6	12 6	12 0	3 2 0	3 2 6	3 4 0	5 0 to 6 0	7 8	6 0 to 7 0	5 0 to 7 8	5 0 to 6 0	6 0 to 7 8	10 0 to 20 0	10 0 to 20 0	11 0 to 20 0	Pubna.
8 0	8 0	8 0	4 6 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	7 0	7 0	7 8	7 0 to 9 0	7 0 to 9 0	7 0 to 8 0	15 0 to 25 0	15 0 to 25 0	18 0 to 30 0	Darjeeling.
12 4	12 4	11 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 6 0	7 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	8 0	7 0	15 0 to 20 0	20 0 to 30 0	15 0 to 20 0	Julpigoree.
															Eastern Districts.
12 10	12 8	12 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 4 0	6 0 to 7 8	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 8 0	4 0 to 8 0	5 0 to 6 0	8 0 to 20 0	8 0 to 25 0	8 0 to 20 0	Dacca.
12 0	12 0	11 8	3 3 0	3 2 0	3 7 0	7 8	8 8	8 8	7 0	7 8	7 0	12 0 to 15 0	15 0	15 0	Furreedpore.
13 0	13 0	13 0	2 11 0	2 11 0	2 11 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	8 0 to 15 0	8 0 to 15 0	8 0 to 15 0	Backergunge.
12 8	12 12	12 8	3 3 0	3 2 0	.....	8 0 to 11 0	8 0 to 9 0	8 0 to 9 0	6 0 to 7 0	6. 0	6 0	15 0 to 30 0	12 0 to 30 0	12 0 to 30 0	Mymensingh.

J The retail price of salt at Raigunge 11½ seers and Nitpore 10 seers per rupee.
K In the sub-divisions the retail price of salt was at Nattore and Nowgong 12 seers per rupee.
L In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Nilphamari 12 seers and Gaibanda 14 seers.
M The retail price of salt at Serajgunge was 13 seers per rupee.
N The retail price of salt was at Kurseong 8 seers, and at Silligoree 10 seers per rupee.
O The retail price of salt at Falacata in Alipore sub-division was 10 seers per rupee.
P In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Moonshergunge 10 seers 10½ chittacks, Munickgunge 12 seers, and Naraingunge 13 seers.
Q In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Goalundo 13 seers, Mataripore and Bunga 12 seers, and Gopalgunge 12½ seers.
R In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Patuakhali 10½ seers, Perozepore 11 seers and Bhola 10 seers.
S In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 10½ seers to 12 1/16 seers per rupee.

RETAIL SALE :—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY THE

Number.	DISTRICTS.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice, best sort.			Rice, common.			Bulrush Millet—Cumboo, Bajra.			Great Millet—Cholum Jowar.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	Eastern Districts.—Concluded.																		
		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
22	Chittagong ...	T 14 8	13 4	12 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	13 0	16 0	16 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
23	Noakholly ...	U ...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	20 0	18 0	18 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
24	Tipperah ...	V 15 4	16 0	11 6	...	...	...	15 4	13 0	17 0	a 22 0	15 8	23 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
25	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 5	12 5	12 4	14 8	13 5	13 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah	12 0	12 0	10 0	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	17 0	18 0	18 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	BEHAR.																		
26	Patna ...	20 0	20 0	17 8	21 0	21 0	32 0	11 0	11 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
27	Gya ...	16 0	15 0	19 0	21 0	20 0	25 0	9 8	9 8	12 0	13 0	12 0	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
28	Shahabad ...	X 18 8	18 0	17 0 to 17 8	22 8	22 0	24 0	9 0	9 0	11 0 to 11 8	13 0	13 0	15 0 to 17 0	22 0	22 0	28 0	...	...	...
29	Durbhunga ...	Y 17 9	16 0	18 0	18 11	...	30 0	10 0	10 15	12 0	14 4	14 4	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
30	Mozufferpore ...	/7...	17 0	18 0	2 0...	20 0	29 0	/8...	10 0	12 0	/3...	15 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
31	Sarun ...	Z 18 12	18 8	17 0	22 4	22 0	26 0	8 0	8 0	10 0	12 8	12 4	18 0	...	...	...	24 0	21 0	28 0
32	Chumparun ...	Z1 16 0	16 0	19 0	23 0	23 0	34 0	10 8	10 0	13 0	12 0	12 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
33	Monghyr ...	Z2 19 6	18 14	18 14	21 0	21 0	25 8	11 0	11 0	13 10	13 1	13 1	15 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
34	Bhagulpore ...	Z3 17 10	16 14	16 6	20 3	20 3	27 12	12 0	12 0	15 2	13 14	13 14	17 10	...	...	...	...	...	...
35	Purneah ...	Z4 18 0	18 0	20 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	15 0	14 0	14 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
36	Maldah ...	19 0	20 0	17 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	16 0	15 0	14 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
37	Sonthal Pergs.	Z5 13 0	14 0	14 0	...	...	...	12 8	12 0	16 0	15 0	15 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	ORISSA																		
38	Cuttack ...	15 12	15 12	14 7	...	...	...	13 2	13 2	13 2	b 15 12	18 6	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
39	Pooree ...	11 13	13 2	13 2	...	...	...	13 2	14 7	20 0	...	21 0	23 10	...	...	...	...	...	...
40	Balasore ...	16 0	16 0	14 0	11 0	11 0	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	20 0	20 0	28 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*																		
41	Hazareebagh ...	Z6 14 8	14 0	15 0	16 0	...	20 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	12 4	12 8	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
42	Lohardugga ...	13 0	13 0	16 0	12 0	14 0	21 0	13 0	13 0	18 0	17 0	17 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
43	Singbhoom ...	18 0	18 0	18 0	22 0	22 0	32 0	20 0	20 0	36 0	24 0	24 0	40 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
44	Manbhoom ...	Z7 14 0	13 0	13 0	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	17 0	18 8	21 0	27 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

(*a*) The decrease in the price of rice is due to less exportation and also to the fact of *aus* rice appearing in the market for sale.
(*b*) The price of rice in the interior ranged from 23 seers 10 chittacks to 32 seers 10 chittacks per rupee.
T The retail price of salt at Cox's Bazar was 9 seers per rupee.
U In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 9 to 12½ seers per rupee.
V In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Brahmanbariah 12½ seers and Chandpore 12½ seers.
X In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Buxar 11½ seers and Sasseram and Bhabhua 11 seers.
Y In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Tajpore 11½ seers and Madhubani 11 seers.
Z In the Sewan sub-division the retail price of salt was 11½ seers per rupee.
Z1 The retail price of salt in the interior ranged from 12 to 13 seers per rupee.

Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 15th July 1884.—(Concld.)

Salt.			WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF 40 SEERS.			AVERAGE WAGES PER MONTH.									DISTRICTS.
			Salt.			Able-bodied Agricultural Labourer.			Syce or Horse-keeper.			Common Mason, Carpenter, or Blacksmith.			
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
															Eastern Districts.—(Concluded.)
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
9 8	9 8	9 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	9 0 to 11 0	7 8 to 9 0	7 8 to 11 4	7 0 to 8 0	6 0 to 7 0	6 0 to 7 8	12 8 to 14 0	7 8 to 10 0	7 8 to 10 8	Chittagong.
10 0	10 0	10 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 2 0	7 0 to 8 0	7 0 to 8 0	7 0 to 8 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 7 0	5 0 to 7 0	7 0 to 20 0	7 0 to 20 0	7 0 to 20 0	Noakholly.
12 0	12 0	12 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 5 0	6 0 to 9 0	6 0 to 8 0	6 0 to 9 0	5 0 to 7 0	5 0 to 7 0	5 0 to 7 0	7 0 to 16 0	6 0 to 15 0	7 0 to 16 0	Tipperah.
6 6	6 6	6 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 4 0	.....	10 0	8 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	13 8	14 0	13 0	Hill Tipperah.
															BEHAR.
10 9	10 8	10 8	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 0 0	4 0 to 5 0	3 0 to 4 0	3 0 to 4 0	4 8 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 8	4 0 to 5 0	6 0 to 8 0	5 10 to 8 0	5 10 to 8 0	Patna.
11 0	11 0	12 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	.....	2 8 to 3 0	2 8 to 3 0	2 8 to 3 0	3 0 to 5 0	3 0 to 5 0	3 0 to 5 0	6 0 to 8 0	6 0 to 8 0	6 0 to 8 0	Gya.
12 0	12 0	12 8	3 1 0	3 1 0	3 1 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	7 8	6 0 to 7 8	6 0 to 7 8	Shahabad.
12 8	12 8	10 0	3 1 6	3 1 6	3 10 0	3 12 to 5 0	2 13† to 3 12	3 0 to 5 0	3 12 to 5 0	2 8 to 4 0	3 8 to 5 0	3 12 to 15 0	5 10 to 7 8	4 8 to 10 0	Durbhunga.
						3 0 to 5 0	3 0 to 5 0	3 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	5 0 to 8 0	5 0 to 8 0	5 0 to 8 0	Mozufferpore.
12	12 0	11 8	3 [illegible] 6	3 4 0	3 7 0										
11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4 0	3 5 0	3 6 0	4 12 to 6 4	5 10 to 7 8	4 12 to 7 8	4 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 6 0	6 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 10 0	Sarun.
11 8	11 8	11 8	3 7 0	3 7 0	.....	5 12	5 12	6 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	8 0	8 0	6 0	Chumparun.
12 9	12 1	11 8	2 15 6	3 2 5	3 2 9	3 12	3 12	3 12	4 0	4 0	4 0	5 10 to 7 8	5 10 to 7 8	5 10 to 7 8	Monghyr.
12 10	12 10	12 10	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 1 0	5 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	5 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	8 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 10 0	Bhagulpore.
10 12	10 12	10 0	3 13 6	3 13 0	.....	5 0	4 11 to 5 10	4 11 to 5 10	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	7 0 to 16 0	7 0 to 16 0	7 0 to 16 0	Purneah.
...	...	12 0	3 [illegible] 2	.....	3 4 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	5 0	5 0	5 0	6 8 to 15 0	7 8 to 13 2	7 8 to 15 0	Maldah.
11 0	10 8	10 0	3 8 0	3 12 0	.....	3 12	3 12	3 12 to 4 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	4 0 to 5 0	7 8 to 9 6	7 8 to 11 4	Sonthal Pergns.
															ORISSA.
14 0	14 0	14 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	5 10	5 10	5 10	4 0	4 0	4 0	7 8 to 10 0	7 8 to 10 0	7 8 to 10 0	Cuttack.
16 0	16 0	14 0	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 12 0	7 8	7 0	7 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	8 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 10 0	Pooree.
10 8	9 0	9 2	3 8 0	3 13 0	.....	5 10	5 10	5 10	6 0	6 0	6 0	7 8 to 9 0	7 8 to 9 6	7 8 to 9 0	Balasore.
															CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*
9 0	10 0	9 0	3 13 0	3 11 0	4 2 0	5 0	4 8	5 0	6 0	5 0	5 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Hazareebagh.
9 0	9 0	9 0	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 2 0	4 8	3 0 to 4 8	3 0 to 4 8	3 8 to 5 0	3 8 to 5 0	3 8 to 5 0	7 8 to 12 8	6 0 to 12 0	6 0 to 12 0	Lohardugga.
8 0	8 0	6 0	4 7 0	4 6 0	5 8 0	3 0	3 0	3 0	4 8	4 8	4 8	5 0 to 12 0	5 0 to 12 0	5 0 to 12 0	Singbhoom.
10 10	10 10	10 0	3 9 0	3 9 0	3 8 0	*4 11	4 11	4 11	4 0	4 0	4 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	Manbhoom.

* During the field season.
† Agricultural labourers are generally paid in kind, ordinarily 2½ seers of dhan or murwa are given as daily wages.
Z2 In the sub-divisions the retail price of salt at Begusarai and Jamui was 11 seers per rupee.
Z3 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Banka 12 seers, Madhupura 10½ seers, and Soopole 11 seers.
Z4 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—At Kissengunge 10 seers, and at Raneegunge in Arrareah sub-division 11 seers.
Z5 The retail price of salt at Godda was 11 seers per rupee.
Z6 The retail price of salt at Chattra was 10 seers and at Kharrackdiha 11 seers.
Z7 In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 11 to 12 seers.

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PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD, AND SALT IN THE DISTRICTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 31st JULY 1884.

RETAIL SALE:—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM JOWAR.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL.																		
	Western Districts.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S.Ch.
1	Burdwan ...	A 14 8	15 0	16 8	22 8	22 8	20 0	12 4	12 8	17 4	15 12	17 4	22 12	...	...	..	...	...	...
2	Bankoora ...	B 16 0	16 8	14 12	17 0	18 0	16 0	12 8	12 8	19 0	15 8	16 4	25 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
3	Beerbhoom ...	C 16 0	15 0	15 0	...	...	...	14 0	13 8	16 8	16 0	16 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
4	Midnapore ...	D 14 0	12 0	14 0	20 0	20 0	17 0	14 0	14 0	18 0	18 0	18 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
5	Hooghly ...	E 15 0	14 0	13 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	9 0	13 0	14 0	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Howrah ...	14 0	14 0	13 4	...	...	...	11 4	11 8	13 8	13 8	13 4	17 8	...	...	..	...	...	...
	Central Districts.																		
	Calcutta ...	17 12	16 0	14 9	21 5	20 0	18 13	8 14	8 0	10 12	11 6	13 0	16 0	15 0	15 0	20 0	...	19 0	...
6	24-Pergunnahs	F 14 0	14 8	13 5	17 8	17 8	16 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	13 12	14 8	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
7	Nuddea ...	G 16 12	17 4	14 8	21 5½	20 0	...	12 5	12 5	15 4	12 13	13 5½	17 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Khoolna ..	H ...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	18 0	18 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Jessore ...	I 16 0	16 0	13 4	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	16 0	15 0	21 4	...	..	..	...	...	...
10	Moorshedabad ...	J 18 0	18 0	15 0	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	15 0	13 8	14 8	20 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
11	Dinagepore ..	K 17 8	14 8	16 0	14 0	13 0	17 8	12 0	14 8	16 12	13 8	15 8	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
12	Rajshahye ...	L 18 4	18 4	16 8	31 4	31 4	30 0	12 12	12 0	12 0 to 15 0	15 0	12 12	17 4 to 18 0	...	...	..	.	..	...
13	Rungpore ...	M 20 0	20 0	13 5	...	...	...	10 12	11 7	13 5	15 4	16 0	20 0		...	..	...	...	...
14	Bogra ...	16 8	16 14	15 0	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	12 0	15 12	15 12	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
15	Pubna ...	N 23 4	24 0	18 12	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	8 0	17 4	15 0	19 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
16	Darjeeling ...	O ...	9 0	8 0	...	10 0	8 0	5 0	5 0	4 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
17	Julpigoree* ...	...	10 0	10 0	...	20 0	20 0	...	11 0	12 8	...	14 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Eastern Districts.																		
18	Dacca ...	P 16 0	16 0	12 8	23 0	26 0	23 0	13 0	12 10	16 8	16 0	16 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
19	Furreedpore ...	Q 20 0	20 0	20 0	34 0	34 0	30 0	14 0	14 0	16 0	16 0	15 0	18 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
20	Backergunge ...	R ...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	19 0	18 0	18 0	21 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
21	Mymensingh ...	S 12 8	13 0	11 0	...	...	...	12 8	12 0	13 5	17 0	16 0	19 0	...	...	..	...	...	...

* Not received.

A In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Culna 14 seers, Cutwa 12 seers, and Raneegunge 13¼ seers.

B The retail price of salt in the interior ranged from 11 to 16 seers per rupee.

C The retail price of salt in the interior ranged from 11½ to 13½ seers per rupee.

D In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Ghattal 14 seers, Tumlook 11 seers and Contai 12½ seers.

E In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Serampore 13 seers and Jehanabad 13½ seers.

F In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Barraet and Basserhat 13 seers, Diamond Harbour 11 seers and Barrackpore 12¾ seers.

G In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kooshtea 13 seers, Meherpore 11½ seers, Choondanga 14 seers, and Ranaghat 12½ seers.

H In the sub-divisions of Satkhira and Bagirhat the retail price of salt was 11 seers per rupee.

I In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Jhenidah and Narail 12 seers, Bongong 13 seers and Magurah 10¾ seers.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per maund of 40 seers. Salt.			DISTRICTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		BENGAL.
																		Western Districts.
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	19 8	20 0	20 4	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 5	13 5	12 10	3 0	2-15-7½	3-0-3	Burdwan.
...	...	...	24 0	24 0	30 0	17 12	18 0	17 12	240 0	320 0	280 0	12 4	13 0	12 0	3 2	3-1-3	3-3-6	Bankoora.
...	...	...	...	...	...	19 0	19 0	21 0	160 0	160 0	100 0	12 0	12 0	10 8	3-2-6	3-2-6	3-3-3	Beerbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	155 0	155 0	155 0	12 12	12 12	12 0	2 14	2 14	2 14	Midnapore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 0	18 0	16 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 9	13 9	13 9	2 14	2 14	2 14	Hooghly.
...	...	...	...	...		18 0	18 0	16 4	80 0	80 0	80 0	13 0	13 0	13 8	3 0	3 0	2 14	Howrah.
																		Central Districts
...	...	...	...	...	...	21 5	18 10	17 12	100 0	100 0	90 0	...	13 0	14 0	2 12	2 12	2 12	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 8	17 8	17 8	100 0	90 0	80 0	12 13	12 13	13 5	3 0	3 0	2 14	24-Pergunnahs.
...	...	...	...	...	...	22 15	22 1	20 0	...	...	...	11 10½	11 10½	11 10½	3 0	3 0	3 0	Nuddea.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	180 0	180 0	180 0	12 0	12 0	10 8	3 2	3 2	3 4	Khoolna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	22 8	22 8	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	10 12	10 12	11 0	3 2	3 2	3 2	Jessore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	23 0	24 0	23 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	11 9	11 9	11 0	3 3	3 3	3 8	Moorshedabad.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	16 8	19 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	12 0	12 0	11 8	3 4	3 4	3 7	Dinagepore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	22 8	22 8	21 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	12 9	12 9	12 0	3 1	3 1	3-2 6	Rajshahye.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	20 0	17 3	100 0	100 0	110 0	10 0½	11 15	11 14	3 12	3 4	3-5-3	Rungpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	19 8	19 11	16 8	60 0	60 0	71 4	12 0	12 0	12 0	3-5-4	3-5-4	3 2	Bogra.
...	...	...	...	...	...	22 8	23 0	18 4	200 0	200 0	200 0	12 6	12 6	12 0	3 2	3 2	3 4	Pubna.
11 0	11 0	10 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	10 0	8 0	8 0	106 0	100 0	198 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 8	6	4 8	Darjeeling.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	...	128 0	128 0	...	12 4	11 0	...	3 4	3 6	Julpigoree.
																		Eastern Districts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	19 0	19 0	17 4	80 0	90 0	110 0	13 0	12 10	12 4	3-1-6	3 2	3 4	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	16 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	12 0	12 0	11 8	3 2	3 2	3 7	Furreedpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	2 11	2 11	2 11	Backergunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	15 8	15 8	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	12 4	3 3	3 3	3 4	Mymensingh.

J In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Lalbagh 11 seers, and Jungypore and Kandi 12 seers.
K The retail price of salt was at Baigunge 11½ seers and at Nilpore 10 seers per rupee.
L The retail price of salt at Nattore was 12 seers.
M In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Gaibanda 14 seers, Kurigram 13 seers and Nilphamari 12 seers.
N The retail price of salt at Serajgunge was 13 seers per rupee.
O The retail price of salt per rupee was at Kurseong 8 seers, and at Silligoree 10 seers.
P In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Manickgunge 12 seers, and Naraingunge 13 seers, Moonshegunge 10 seers 10½ chittacks.
Q In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Goalundo 13 seers, Madaripore and Bhanga 12 seers, and Gopalgunge 12½ seers.
R In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Patuakhali 10½ seers, Perozepore 11 seers and dhola 10 seers.
S In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Atteu 12 seers, Jamalpore 11½ seers and Netrokona 12 5/16 seers.

RETAIL SALE :—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY THE

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM JOWAR.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	Eastern Districts.—Concluded.																		
		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
22	Chittagong ...	T 14 0	14 8	10 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	14 0	17 0	16 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
23	Noakholly ...	U ...	...	...	...	...	..	15 0	16 0	20 0	17 0	18 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
24	Tipperah ...	V 13 4	15 4	11 6	...	...	...	15 0	15 4	18 12	18 12	22 0	21 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
25	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 5	13 5	12 4	16 0	14 8	13 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah	12 0	12 0	10 0	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	16 0	17 0	18 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	BEHAR.																		
26	Patna ...	20 0	20 0	21 0	19 0	21 0	29 12	11 4	11 0	14 0	13 0	14 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
27	Gya ...	W 16 8	16 0	18 8	20 0	21 0	24 0	9 4	9 8	12 0	12 8	13 0	15 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
28	Shahabad ...	X 18 0	18 8	16 8 to 17 0	22 0	22 8	25 0	9 0	9 0	11 0 to 11 8	13 0	13 0	15 0 to 16 0	21 0	22 0	28 0	...	...	...
29	Durbhunga* ...	...	17 9	16 0	...	18 11	...	...	10 0	13 0	...	14 4	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
30	Mozufferpore ...	Y 17 0	17 0	18 0	20 0	20 0	28 0	10 0	10 0	12 0	13 0	13 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
31	Sa un ...	Z 18 8	18 12	17 0	22 4	22 4	26 0	8 0	8 0	10 0	12 8	12 8	18 0	...	...	..	22 8	24 0	30 0
32	Chumparun ...	Z1 16 0	16 0	19 0	...	23 0	32 0	10 8	10 8	13 0	13 0	12 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
33	Monghyr ...	Z2 19 11	19 6	18 9	21 0	21 0	27 14	11 2	11 0	13 15	12 13	13 1	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
34	Bhagulpore* ...	...	17 10	16 6	...	20 8	24 0	...	12 0	15 2	...	13 14	17 10	...	...	...	...	...	...
35	Purneah ...	Z3 14 0	18 0	18 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	15 0	14 0	14 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
36	Maldah ..	20 0	19 0	16 8	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	14 8	14 0	15 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
37	Sonthal Perga.	Z4 13 0	13 0	14 0	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	16 0	15 0	15 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	ORISSA.																		
38	Cuttack ...	18 6	15 12	13 2	...	...	...	13 2	13 2	13 2	a 18 6	15 12	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
39	Pooree ...	13 2	11 12	13 0	...	...	...	13 2	13 2	21 0	17 1	18 6	23 10	...	...	...	...	...	...
40	Balasore ...	Z5 16 0	16 0	14 0	11 0	11 0	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	20 0	20 0	28 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE *South-Western Frontier Agency.*																		
41	Hazareebagh ...	Z6 13 0	14 8	14 0	16 0	16 0	20 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	12 0	12 4	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
42	Lohardugga ...	13 0	13 0	15 0	12 0	12 0	20 0	13 0	13 0	18 0	16 0	17 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
43	Singbhoom ...	18 0	18 0	18 0	22 0	22 0	32 0	20 0	20 0	36 0	24 0	34 0	40 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
44	Manbhoom ...	Z7 13 0	14 0	13 0	...	...	...	12 8	14 0	17 0	19 0	18 8	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

*Not received.

(a) The price of rice in the interior ranged from 19 seers 11 chittacks to 26 seers 4 chittacks per rupee.

T The retail price of salt at Cox's Bazar was 9 seers per rupee.

U In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 9 to 11 seers per rupee.

V In the sub-divisions the retail price of salt per rupee was at Brahmanbariah and Chandpore 12½ seers.

W In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Jehanabad 12 seers, Nowada 10 seers.

X In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Buxar and Sasseram 11½ seers, and Bhabhua 11 seers.

Y In the interior the retail prices of salt ranged from 10 to 12 seers.

SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 seers. Salt.			DISTRICTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding ret rn of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		Eastern Districts.—(Concluded.)
S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	13 0	120 0	120 0	40 0	9 8	9 8	10 0	4 0	4 0	..	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0	3 6	3 6	3 2	Noakholly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	18 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 5	Tipperah.
...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	320 0	320 0	320 0	8 0	6 6	6 0	4 8	5 0	6 0	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	12 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Hill Tipperah.
																		BEHAR.
...	...	...	23 0	23 0	31 0	22 0	24 0	26 0	100 0	100 0	130 0	10 8	10 8	10 8	3 2	3 2	3 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	19 8	19 12	22 0	200 0	200 0	180 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 6	Gya.
...	...	...	...	...	...	21 0	23 0	27 0 to 28 0	140 0	140 0	120 0	12 0	12 0	12 8	3 1	3 1	3 1	Shahabad.
...	...	32 8	...	20 15	...	...	20 15	22 8	...	165 0	160 0	...	12 8	10 0	...	3-1-6	3 10	Durbhunga.
...	...	...	20 0	20 0	32 0	20 0	20 0	24 0	140 0	140 0	140 0	12 0	12 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 6	Mozufferpore.
22 0	21 0	30 0	22 8	22 0	28 0	21 8	21 8	25 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 6	Sarun.
...	...	...	21 0	21 0	...	19 0	19 0	28 0	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	11 8	3 7	3 7	...	Chumparun.
...	...	...	21 0	22 4	25 11	23 1	24 2	25 11	126 0	126 0	126 0	12 1	12 9	12 9	3-2-5	2-15-6	3-1-9	Monghyr.
...	...	...	...	22 1	...	...	22 1	22 11	...	151 8	126 8	...	12 10	12 10	...	3 0	3 0	Bhagulpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	20 0	20 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	10 12	10 12	10 0	3-13 6	3-13-6	3 8	Purneah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	23 0	23 0	22 8	200 0	160 0	160 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3 2	3 2	3 4	Maldah.
...	...	...	17 0	17 0	30 0	17 0	17 0	19 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	11 0	11 0	10 0	2 15	3 8	...	Sonthal Perghs.
																		ORISSA.
19 11	19 11	18 8	...	...	...	22 5	22 5	18 6	80 0	80 0	80 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	2 12	2 12	2 12	Cuttack.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 1	17 1	17 1	80 0	64 0	90 0	15 0	16 0	14 0	2 6	2 6	2 12	Pooree.
...	...	...	...	...	..	14 0	14 0	14 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	10 8	10 8	8 0	3 :	3 8	4 6	Balasore.
																		CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency*
17 0	17 0	30 0	15 0	16 0	22 0	14 8	15 0	18 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	10 0	9 0	10 0	3 12	3 13	3 13	Hazareebagh.
24 0	24 0	28 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	14 0	120 0	120 0	100 0	9 8	9 0	8 8	4 0	4 4	4 7	Lohardugga.
...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	24 0	180 0	180 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	5 8	4 7	4 7	5 8	Singbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	15 8	17 0	240 0	240 0	120 0	10 8	10 10	10 0	3 9	3 9	3 10	Manbhoom.

Z In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Sewan 11½ seers, Gopalgunge 12 seers.
Z1 In the interior the retail price of salt per rupee ranged from 10 to 13½ seers.
Z2 In the sub-divisions the retail price of salt per rupee was at Begusarai and Jamui 11 seers.
Z3 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Kissengunge 10 seers, and at Ranegunge at Arrareah sub-division 11 seers.
Z4 The retail price of salt at Godda and Rajmehal was 11 seers per rupee and at Deoghur 13 seers per rupee.
Z5 The retail price of salt at Bhadrack was 8 seers per rupee.
Z6 The retail price of salt at Chattra was 10 seers and at Kharruckdiha 11 seers per rupee.
Z7 The retail prices of salt in the interior ranged from 10 to 12 seers per rupee.

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PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD, AND SALT IN THE DISTRICTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 31st JULY 1884.

Number.	DISTRICTS.	RETAIL SALE:—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY																					
		WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM JOWAR.					
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.			
	BENGAL.																						
	Western Districts.	S. Ch.	S Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S.Ch.	
1	Burdwan ...	A 14 8	15 0	16 8	22 8	22 8	20 0	12 4	12 8	17 4	15 12	17 4	22 12	...	...	..	...	...	...				
2	Bankoora ...	B 16 0	16 8	14 12	17 0	18 0	16 0	12 8	12 8	19 0	15 8	16 4	25 0	...	...	..	..	...	...				
3	Peerbhoom ...	C 16 0	15 0	15 0	...	...	...	14 0	13 8	16 8	16 0	16 0	21 0	...	...	..	..	...	...				
4	Midnapore ...	D 14 0	12 0	14 0	20 0	20 0	17 0	14 0	14 0	18 0	18 0	18 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
5	Hooghly ...	E 15 0	14 0	13 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	9 0	13 0	14 0	15 0	...	...	..	...	...	...				
	Howrah ...	14 0	14 0	13 4	...	...	...	11 4	11 8	13 8	13 8	13 4	17 8	...	...	..	...	...	...				
	Central Districts.																						
	Calcutta ...	17 12	16 0	14 9	21 5	20 0	18 13	8 14	8 0	10 12	11 6	13 0	16 0	15 0	15 0	20 0	...	19 0	...				
6	24-Pergunnahs	F 14 0	14 8	13 5	17 8	17 8	16 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	13 12	14 8	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
7	Nuddea ...	G 16 12	17 4	14 8	21 5½	20 0	...	12 5	12 5	15 4	12 13	13 5½	17 4	...	...	...	...	...	...				
8	Khoolna ...	H ...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	18 0	18 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
9	Jessore ...	I 16 0	16 0	13 4	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	16 0	15 0	21 4	...	...	..	...	...	...				
10	Moorshedabad ...	J 18 0	18 0	15 0	...	...	...	13 8	13 8	15 0	13 8	14 8	20 0	...	...	..	...	...	...				
11	Dinagepore ...	K 17 8	14 8	16 0	14 0	13 0	17 8	12 0	14 8	16 12	13 8	15 8	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
12	Rajshahye ...	L 18 4	18 4	16 8	31 4	31 4	30 0	12 12	12 0	12 0 to 15 0	15 0	12 12	17 4 to 18 0	...	...	..	.	..	...				
13	Rungpore ...	M 20 0	20 0	13 5	...	...	...	10 12	11 7	13 5	15 4	16 0	21 0		...	...	...	...	...				
14	Bogra ...	16 8	16 14	15 0	...	...	...	9 12	9 13	12 0	15 12	15 12	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
15	Pubna ...	N 23 4	24 0	18 12	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	8 0	17 4	15 0	19 8	...	...	...	...	...	...				
16	Darjeeling ...	O ...	9 0	8 0	...	10 0	8 0	5 0	5 0	4 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
17	Julpigoree ...	O1 10 0	10 0	10 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	11 0	11 0	12 8	14 0	14 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
	Eastern Districts.																						
18	Dacca ...	P 16 0	16 0	12 8	23 0	26 0	23 0	13 0	12 10	16 8	16 0	16 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
19	Furreedpore ...	Q 20 0	20 0	20 0	34 0	34 0	30 0	14 0	14 0	16 0	16 0	15 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
20	Backergunge ...	R ...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	19 0	18 0	18 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				
21	Mymensingh ...	S 12 8	13 0	11 0	...	...	...	12 8	12 0	13 5	17 0	16 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...				

A In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Culna 14 seers, Cutwa 12 seers, and Raneegunge 13½ seers.
B The retail price of salt in the interior ranged from 11 to 16 seers per rupee.
C The retail price of salt in the interior ranged from 11½ to 13½ seers per rupee.
D In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Ghattal 14 seers, Tumlook 11 seers and Contai 12½ seers.
E In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Serampore 13 seers and Jehanabad 13½ seers.
F In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Baraset and Bosserhat 13 seers, Diamond Harbour 11 seers and Barrackpore 12¾ seers.
G In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kooshtea 13 seers, Meherpore 11½ seers, Chooadanga 14 seers, and Ranaghat 12½ seers.
H In the sub-divisions of Satkhira and Bagirhat the retail price of salt was 11 seers per rupee.
I In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Jhenidah and Narail 12 seers, Bongong 13 seers and Magurah 10¾ seers.
J In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Lalbagh 11 seers, and Jungypore and Kandi 12 seers.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 seers. Salt.			DISTRICTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		BENGAL.
																		Western Districts
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	19 8	20 0	20 4	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 5	13 5	12 10	3 0	2-15-7½	3-0-8	Burdwan.
...	...	...	24 0	24 0	20 0	17 12	18 0	17 12	240 0	320 0	280 0	12 4	13 0	12 0	3 2	3-1-3	3-3-6	Bankoora.
...	...	...	...	...	..	19 0	19 0	21 0	160 0	160 0	100 0	12 0	12 0	10 8	3-2-6	3-2-6	3-8-3	Beerbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	155 0	155 0	155 0	12 12	12 12	12 0	2 14	2 14	2 14	Midnapore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 0	18 0	16 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 9	13 9	13 9	2 14	2 14	2 14	Hooghly.
...	...	...	...	...		18 0	18 0	16 4	80 0	80 0	80 0	13 0	13 0	13 8	3 0	3 0	2 14	Howrah.
																		Central Districts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	21 5	18 10	17 12	100 0	100 0	90 0	...	13 0	14 0	2 12	2 12	2 12	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 8	17 8	17 8	100 0	90 0	80 0	12 13	12 13	13 5	3 0	3 0	2 14	24-Pergunnahs.
...	...	...	...	...	...	22 15	22 1	20 0	...	...	...	11 10½	11 10½	11 10½	3 0	3 0	3 0	Nuddea.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	180 0	180 0	180 0	12 0	12 0	10 8	3 2	3 2	3 4	Khoolna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	22 8	22 8	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	10 12	10 12	11 0	3 2	3 2	3 2	Jessore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	23 0	24 0	23 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	11 9	11 9	11 0	3 3	3 3	3 8	Moorshedabad.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	16 8	19 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	12 0	12 0	11 8	3 4	3 4	3 7	Dinagepore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	23 8	22 6	21 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	12 9	12 9	12 0	3 1	3 1	3-2 6	Rajshahye.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	20 0	17 3	100 0	100 0	110 0	10 0⅝	11 15	11 14	3 12	3 4	3-5-3	Rungpore
...	...	...	...	...	...	19 8	19 11	16 8	60 0	60 0	71 4	12 0	12 0	12 0	3-5-4	3-5-4	3 2	Bogra.
...	...	...	...	...	...	22 8	23 0	18 4	200 0	200 0	200 0	12 6	12 6	12 0	3 2	3 2	3 4	Pubna.
11 0	11 0	10 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	10 0	8 0	8 0	106 0	100 0	128 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 6	6	4 8	Darjeeling.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	128 0	128 0	128 0	12 4	12 4	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 6	Julpigoree.
																		Eastern Districts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	19 0	19 0	17 4	80 0	90 0	110 0	13 0	13 10	12 4	3-1-6	3 2	3 4	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	16 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	12 0	12 0	11 8	3 2	3 2	3 7	Furreedpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	2 11	2 11	2 11	Backergunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	15 8	15 8	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	12 4	3 3	3 3	3 4	Mymensingh.

K The retail price of salt was at Raigunge 11½ seers and at Nitpore 10 seers per rupee.
L The retail price of salt at Nattore was 12 seers per rupee.
M In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Gaibanda 14 seers, Kurigram 13 seers and Nilphamari 13 seers.
N The retail price of salt at Serajgunge was 13 seers per rupee.
O The retail price of salt per rupee was at Kurseong 8 seers, and at Silligoree 10 seers.
Ol The retail price of salt at Falakata in Alipur sub-division was 10 seers per rupee.
P In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Munickgunge 12 seers, Naraingunge 13 seers, and Moonshegunge 10 seers 10⅔ chittacks.
Q In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Goalundo 13 seers, Madaripore and Bhanga 12 seers, and Gopalgunge 12½ seers.
R In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Patuakhali 10⅔ seers, Perozepore 11 seers and Bhola 10 seers
S In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Attea 12 seers, Jamalpore 11½ seers and Netrokona 12⅝ seers.

RETAIL SALE :—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY THE

Number.	DISTRICTS.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice, best sort.			Rice, common.			Bulrush Millet—Cumboo, Bajra.			Great Millet—Cholum Jowar.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	Eastern Districts.—Concluded.																		
		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
22	Chittagong ...	T 14 0	14 8	10 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	14 0	17 0	16 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
23	Noakholly ...	U ...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	16 0	20 0	17 0	18 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
24	Tipperah ...	V 13 4	15 4	11 6	...	...	...	15 0	15 4	18 12	18 12	22 0	23 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
25	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 5	13 5	12 4	16 0	14 8	13 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah	12 0	12 0	10 0	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	16 0	17 0	18 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	BEHAR.																		
26	Patna ...	20 0	20 0	21 0	19 0	21 0	29 12	11 4	11 0	14 0	13 0	14 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
27	Gya ...	W 16 8	16 0	18 8	20 0	21 0	24 0	9 4	9 8	12 0	12 8	13 0	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
28	Shahabad ...	X 18 0	18 8	16 8 to 17 0	22 0	22 8	25 0	9 0	9 0	11 0 to 11 8	13 0	13 0	15 0 to 16 0	21 0	22 0	28 0	...	...	...
29	Durbhunga ...	X1 17 9	17 9	16 0	19 14	18 11	...	9 15	10 0	13 0	13 4	14 4	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
30	Mozufferpore ...	Y 17 0	17 0	18 0	20 0	20 0	28 0	10 0	10 0	12 0	13 0	13 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
31	Sarun ...	Z 18 8	18 12	17 0	22 4	22 4	26 0	8 0	8 0	10 0	12 8	12 8	18 0	...	...	...	22 8	24 0	30 0
32	Chumparun ...	Z1 16 0	16 0	19 0	...	22 0	32 0	10 8	10 8	13 0	13 0	12 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
33	Monghyr ...	Z2 19 11	19 6	18 9	21 0	21 0	27 14	11 2	11 0	13 15	12 13	13 1	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
34	Bhagulpore ...	Z3 18-4	17 10	16 6	20 8	20 8	24 0	12 0	12 0	15 2	13 14	13 14	17 10	...	...	...	...	...	...
35	Purneah ...	Z4 14 0	18 0	18 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	15 0	14 0	14 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
36	Maldah ...	20 0	19 0	16 8	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	14 8	14 0	15 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
37	Sonthal Pergs.	Z5 13 0	13 0	14 0	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	16 0	15 0	15 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	ORISSA.																		
38	Cuttack ...	18 6	15 12	13 2	...	...	...	13 2	13 2	13 2	18 6 [a]	15 12	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
39	Pooree ...	13 2	11 12	13 0	...	...	...	13 2	13 2	21 0	17 1	18 6	23 10	...	...	...	...	...	...
40	Balasore ...	Z6 16 0	16 0	14 0	11 0	11 0	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	20 0	20 0	28 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE.																		
	South-Western Frontier Agency.																		
41	Hazareebagh ...	Z7 13 0	14 8	14 0	16 0	16 0	20 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	12 0	12 4	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
42	Lohardugga ...	13 0	13 0	15 0	12 0	12 0	20 0	13 0	13 0	18 0	16 0	17 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
43	Singbhoom ...	18 0	18 0	18 0	22 0	22 0	32 0	20 0	20 0	36 0	24 0	24 0	40 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
44	Manbhoom ...	Z8 13 0	14 0	13 0	...	...	...	12 8	14 0	17 0	19 0	18 8	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

(*a*) The price of rice in the interior ranged from 19 seers 11 chittacks to 26 seers 4 chittacks per rupee.
T The retail price of salt at Cox's Bazar was 9 seers per rupee.
U In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 9 to 11 seers per rupee.
V In the sub-divisions the retail price of salt per rupee was at Brahmanbariah and Chandpore 12½ seers.
W In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Jehanabad 12 seers, Nowada 10 seers.
X In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Buxar and Sasseram 11½ seers, and Bhabhua 11 seers.
X1 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Tajpore 11½ seers, Madhubani 11 seers.
Y In the interior the retail prices of salt ranged from 10 to 12 seers.

Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 31st July 1884.—(Concld.)

SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 seers. Salt.			Districts.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding ret rn of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
																		Eastern Districts.—(Concluded.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	13 0	120 0	120 0	40 0	9 8	9 8	10 0	4 0	4 0	...	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0	3 6	3 6	3 2	Noakholly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	18 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 5	Tipperah.
...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	320 0	320 0	320 0	8 0	6 6	6 0	4 8	5 0	6 0	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	12 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Hill Tipperah.
																		BEHAR.
...	...	...	22 0	23 0	31 0	22 0	24 0	26 0	100 0	100 0	180 0	10 8	10 8	10 8	3 2	3 2	3 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	19 8	19 12	22 0	200 0	200 0	180 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 6	Gya.
...	...	...	...	...	...	21 0	23 0	27 0 to 28 0	140 0	140 0	120 0	12 0	12 0	12 8	3 1	3 1	3 1	Shahabad.
19 14	19 12	32 8	20 15	20 15	...	22 0	20 15	22 8	176 0	165 0	160 0	11 8	12 8	10 0	3 4	3-1-6	3 10	Durbhunga.
...	...	...	20 0	20 0	32 0	20 0	20 0	24 0	140 0	140 0	140 0	12 0	12 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 6	Mozufferpore.
22 0	21 0	30 0	22 8	22 0	28 0	21 8	21 8	25 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 6	Sarun.
...	...	...	21 0	21 0	...	19 0	19 0	28 0	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	11 8	3 7	3 7	...	Chumparun.
...	...	...	21 0	22 4	25 11	23 1	24 2	25 11	126 0	126 0	126 0	12 1	12 9	12 9	3-2-5	2-15-6	3-1-9	Monghyr.
...	...	...	20 3	22 1	...	22 1	22 1	22 11	138 0	151 8	126 8	12 10	12 10	12 10	2-15-6	3 0	3 0	Bhagulpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	20 0	20 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	10 12	10 12	10 0	3-13-6	3-13-6	3 8	Purneah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	23 0	23 0	22 8	200 0	160 0	160 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3 2	3 2	3 4	Maldah.
...	...	...	17 0	17 0	30 0	17 0	17 0	19 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	11 0	11 0	10 0	2 15	3 8	...	Sonthal Pergns.
																		ORISSA.
19 11	19 11	18 8	...	..	...	22 5	22 5	18 6	80 0	80 0	80 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	2 13	2 13	2 13	Cuttack.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 1	17 1	17 1	80 0	64 0	90 0	15 0	16 0	14 0	2 6	2 6	2 12	Pooree.
...	...	...	...	...	.	14 0	14 0	14 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	10 8	10 8	8 0	3 7	3 8	4 6	Balasore.
																		CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency*
17 0	17 0	30 0	15 0	16 0	22 0	14 8	15 0	18 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	10 0	9 0	10 0	3 13	3 13	3 13	Hazareebagh.
24 0	24 0	28 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	14 0	120 0	120 0	100 0	9 8	9 0	8 8	4 0	4 4	4 7	Lohardugga.
...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	24 0	180 0	180 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	5 8	4 7	4 7	5 8	Singbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	15 8	17 0	240 0	240 0	120 0	10 8	10 10	10 0	3 9	3 9	3 10	Manbhoom.

Z In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Sewan 11¼ seers, Gopalgunge 12 seers.
Z1 In the interior the retail price of salt per rupee ranged from 10 to 13½ seers.
Z2 In the sub-divisions the retail price of salt per rupee was at Begusarai and Jamui 11 seers.
Z3 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Banka 12 seers, Madhupura 10½ seers, Soopoole 10 seers.
Z4 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Kissengunge 10 seers, and at Rane-gunge at Arrareab sub-division 11 seers.
Z5 The retail price of salt at Godda and Rajmehal was 11 seers per rupee and at Deoghur 13 seers per rupee.
Z6 The retail price of salt at Bhadrack was 8 seers per rupee.
Z7 The retail price of salt at Chattra was 10 seers and at Kharruckdiha 11 seers per rupee.
Z8 The retail prices of salt in the interior ranged from 10 to 12 seers per rupee..

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PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD, AND SALT IN THE DISTRICTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 15TH AUGUST 1884.

PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood and Salt in the

RETAIL SALE:—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM JOWAR.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL.																		
	Western Districts.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S.Ch
1	Burdwan ...	A 14 8	14 8	15 0	22 0	22 8	21 0	11 4	12 4	17 4	13 8	15 12	22 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
2	Bankoora ...	B 15 8	16 0	14 8	16 0	17 0	16 0	12 8	12 8	19 0	15 0	15 8	24 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	Beerbhoom ...	C 16 8	16 0	15 0	...	...	...	12 0	14 0	16 8	13 8	16 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
4	Midnapore* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5	Hooghly* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Howrah ...	14 0	14 0	13 4	...	...	...	11 4	11 4	13 8	13 4	13 8	17 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Central Districts.																		
	Calcutta ...	17 10	17 12	14 9	27 0	21 5	19 6	8 6	8 14	10 12	11 0	11 6	16 0	13 0	15 0	20 0	13 0	...	21 5
6	24-Pergunnahs	D 14 0	14 0	13 5	17 8	17 8	16 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	14 8	13 12	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
7	Nuddea ...	E 16 12	16 12	14 8	21 5½	21 5½	...	11 6	12 5	15 4	12 13	12 13	17 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Khoolna* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Jessore ...	F 14 0	16 0	13 4	...	...	...	13 5	13 0	16 0	16 8	16 0	21 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
10	Moorshedabad ...	G 18 0	18 0	15 0	...	...	...	11 0	12 8	14 0	13 0	13 8	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
11	Dinagepore ...	H 17 4	17 8	16 0	17 8	14 0	17 8	12 8	12 0	18 0	15 0	13 8	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
12	Rajshahye ...	17 13	18 4	15 4	26 4	31 4	33 0	12 8	12 12	14 0 to 16 0	14 8	15 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
13	Rungpore ...	I 20 0	20 0	18 5	...	...	...	9 12	10 12	12 5	13 0	15 4	18 0		...	..	...	...	...
14	Bogra ...	16 8	16 8	15 0	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	12 0	15 12	15 12	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
15	Pubna ...	J 23 0	23 4	18 12	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	8 8	16 8	17 4	18 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
16	Darjeeling ...	K ...	...	8 0	...	...	8 0	5 0	5 0	4 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
17	Julpigoree ...	L 10 0	10 0	10 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	11 0	11 0	13 0	16 0	14 0	16 0	..	...	...	...	...	...
	Eastern Districts.																		
18	Dacca ...	M 16 0	16 0	12 8	23 0	23 0	23 0	13 0	13 0	16 8	16 0	16 0	23 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
19	Furreedpore ...	N 20 0	20 0	21 0	34 0	34 0	30 0	14 0	14 0	18 0	16 0	16 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
20	Backergunge ...	O ...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	18 0	18 0	18 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
21	Mymensingh ...	P 13 0	12 8	11 8	...	...	...	12 0	12 8	15 0	16 0	17 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

* Return not received.

A In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Culna 14 seers, Cutwa 12 seers, and Ranegunge 13½ seers.

B The retail price of salt in the interior ranged from 11 to 16 seers per rupee.

C The retail price of salt in the interior ranged from 11½ to 13½ seers per rupee.

D In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Baraset and Bazerhat 13 seers, Barrackpore 12½ seers

E In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kooshtea 13 seers, Meherpore 11½ seers, Chooadanga 14 seers, and Ranaghat 12½ seers.

F In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Jhenidah and Narail 12 seers, Magurah 10½ seers and Bongong 13 seers.

G In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Lalbagh 11 seers, Jungypore and Kandi 13 seers.

H The retail price of salt at Raigunge was 11½ seers and at Nitpore 10 seers per rupee.

Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 15th August 1884.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 seers. Salt.			DISTRICTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		BENGAL.
																		Western Districts.
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	19 4	19 8	19 8	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 4	13 5	12 10	3 0	3 0	3-0-9	Burdwan.
...	...	...	24 0	24 0	32 0	17 12	17 12	17 12	240 0	240 0	240 0	12 4	12 4	12 0	3 2	3 2	3-3-6	Bankoora.
...	...	...	...	...	...	19 0	19 0	21 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	12 0	12 0	11 4	3-2-6	3-2-6	3 7	Beerbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Midnapore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Hooghly.
...	...	...	...	...		18 0	18 0	17 0	80 0	80 0	80 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	3 0	3 0	3 0	Howrah.
																		Central Districts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	22 0	21 5	17 12	100 0	100 0	90 0	...	...	13 5	...	2 12	2 12	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	20 0	26 10	17 8	17 8	17 8	100 0	100 0	80 0	12 13	12 13	13 5	3 0	3 0	2 14	24-Pergunnahs.
...	...	...	...	...	...	22 15	22 15	20 0	...	...	...	11 10½	11 10½	11 10½	3 0	3 0	3 0	Nuddea.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Khoolna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	22 12	22 8	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	10 12	10 12	12 0	3 2	3 2	3 2	Jessore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	23 0	23 0	23 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	11 9	11 9	11 0	3-2-6	3 3	3 8	Moorshedabad.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 8	17 0	18 0	160 0	160 0	80 0	12 0	12 0	11 8	3 4	3 4	3 6	Dinagepore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	23 10	22 8	22 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	12 9	12 9	13 0	3 1	3 1	3 0	Rajshahye.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 0	17 0	17 3	100 0	100 0	110 0	9 0	10 0§	11 14	3 14	3 12	3-5-3	Rungpore
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 8	19 8	18 0	60 0	60 0	81 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3-5-4	3-5-4	3 2	Bogra.
...	...	...	...	...	...	22 8	22 8	18 8	200 0	200 0	200 0	12 6	12 6	12 0	3 2	3 2	3 4	Pubna.
12 0	11 0	10 0	14 0	13 0	13 0	10 0	10 0	8 0	102 8	106 0	128 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 6	4 6	4 8	Darjeeling.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	128 0	128 0	128 0	12 4	12 4	11 8	3 4	3 4	3 4	Julpigoree.
																		Eastern Districts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	19 0	19 0	17 4	80 0	80 0	110 0	13 0	13 0	12 4	3-1-6	3-1-6	3 4	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3 2	3 2	3 5	Furreedpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	2 11	2 11	2 11	Backergunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	15 0	...	...	...	12 4	12 8	12 4	3 4	3 3	3 4	Mymensingh.

I In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Gaibanda 14 seers, Kurigram 13 seers and Nilphamari 13 seers.
J The retail price of salt at Serajgunge was 13 seers per rupee.
K The retail price of salt at Kurseong was 8 seers, and at Silligoree 10 seers per rupee.
L The retail price of salt at Falacotta in Alipur sub-division was 10 seers per rupee.
M In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Manickgunge 12 seers, Moonshegunge 10 seers 10⅞ chittacks, and Naraingunge 13 seers.
N In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Madaripore and Bhanga 13 seers, and Gopalgunge 12¼ seers.
O In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Patuakhali 10⅞ seers, Bhola 10 seers, and Perozepore 11 seers
P In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Kishoregunge 10 seers, Atteu 12 seers, and Jamalpore 11½ seers.

RETAIL SALE :—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY THE

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM JOWAR.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	***Eastern Districts.*—Concluded.**	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
22	Chittagong* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
23	Noakholly* ...	Q ...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	20 0	17 0	17 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
24	Tipperah ...	R 13 4	13 4	12 4	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	17 4	18 8	18 12	21 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
25	Chittagong Hill Tracts.*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah	12 0	12 0	10 0	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	16 0	18 0	17 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	BEHAR.																		
26	Patna ...	20 0	20 0	19 0	19 0	19 0	25 0	11 4	11 4	14 0	13 0	13 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
27	Gya ...	16 4	16 8	18 8	20 0	20 0	24 0	9 4	9 4	12 0	11 8	12 8	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
28	Shahabad* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
29	Durbhunga* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
30	Mozufferpore ...	S 17 0	17 0	18 0	19 0	20 0	30 0	9 0	10 0	12 0	13 0	13 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
31	Sarun ...	T 18 0	18 8	17 0	20 8	22 4	26 0	8 0	8 0	10 0	12 4	12 8	18 0	...	...	...	21 0	22 8	29 0
32	Chumparun ...	U 16 0	16 0	19 0	...	...	32 0	11 0	10 8	13 0	13 0	13 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
33	Monghyr ...	V 19 12	19 11	19 10	21 0	21 0	26 4	10 8	11 2	13 10	12 1	12 13	15 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
34	Bhagulpore* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
35	Purneah ...	W 17 0	14 0	17 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	14 0	14 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
36	Maldah ...	20 0	20 0	17 8	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	15 0	15 0	14 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
37	Sonthal Pergs.	X 13 0	13 0	12 0	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	16 0	14 8	15 0	23 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	ORISSA.																		
38	Cuttack ...	18 6	18 6	13 2	...	...	...	13 2	13 2	13 2	(a) 18 6	18 6	22 5	...	...	...	...	...	...
39	Pooree* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
40	Balasore ...	17 0	16 0	14 0	11 0	11 0	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	20 0	20 0	28 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE.																		
	South-Western Frontier Agency.																		
41	Hazareebagh ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
42	Lohardugga ...	Y 19 0	13 0	15 0	...	12 0	20 0	13 0	13 0	18 0	14 0	16 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
43	Singbhoom ...	18 0	18 0	16 0	22 0	22 0	24 0	20 0	20 0	32 0	24 0	24 0	36 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
44	Manbhoom ...	Z 13 0	13 0	13 0	...	...	...	13 0	12 8	16 0	19 0	19 0	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

* Return not received.

(*a*) Price of rice in the interior ranged from 19 seers 11 chittacks to 30 seers 4 chittacks per rupee.

Q The retail price of salt in the interior ranged from 9 to 12½ seers per rupee.

R In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Brahmanbariah 12½ seers and Chandpore 12½ seers.

S In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Hajeepore 12 seers, and Seetamarhi 11 seers.

T In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Sewan 11½ seers, and Gopalgunge 12 seers.

U The retail price of salt in the interior ranged from 10 to 13 seers per rupee.

Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 15th August 1884.—(Concld.)

SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 seers. Salt.			DISTRICTS
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		Eastern Districts.—(Concluded.
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0	...	3 6	3 6	Noakholly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 4	16 0	18 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Tipperah.
...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	12 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Hill Tipperah.
																		BEHAR.
...	...	...	22 0	22 0	31 0	20 0	22 0	22 8	100 0	100 0	130 0	10 8	10 8	9 12	3 2	3 2	3-1-6	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	19 0	19 8	21 0	200 0	200 0	160 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 6	Gya.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Shahabad.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Durbhunga.
...	...	...	20 0	20 0	30 0	19 0	20 0	24 0	140 0	140 0	140 0	12 0	12 0	11 0	3 3	3 4	3 8	Mozufferpore.
22 0	22 0	30 0	21 0	22 8	28 0	20 0	21 8	25 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Sarun.
...	...	...	20 0	21 0	32 0	18 0	19 0	26 0	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	11 8	3 7	3 7	...	Chumparun.
...	...	...	25 12	21 0	27 4	23 1	23 1	24 14	126 0	126 0	126 0	12 9	12 1	12 9	3 5	3-2-5	3-0-9	Monghyr.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bhagulpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	20 0	20 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	10 12	10 12	9 0	3-13 6	3-13-6	4 0	Purneah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	22 8	23 0	22 8	160 0	200 0	160 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3 0	3 2	3 3	Malsah.
...	...	...	17 0	17 0	28 0	17 0	17 0	18 0	300 0	200 0	300 0	...	11 0	10 8	...	2 [illegible]	3 1	Sonthal Pergns.
																		ORISSA.
15 12	19 11	18 6	...	.	...	21 0	22 5	18 6	80 0	80 0	80 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	2 12	2 12	2 12	Cuttack.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pooree.
...	...	...	...	...	.	14 0	14 0	14 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	10 8	10 8	9 8	3 [illegible]	3 7	4 2	Balasore.
																		CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency*
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Hazareebagh.
22 0	24 0	28 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	15 0	120 0	120 0	100 0	9 0	9 8	8 0	4 4	4 0	4 10	Lohardugga.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 0	18 0	24 0	150 0	180 0	180 0	8 0	8 0	6 0	4 7	4 7	5 11	Singbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	17 0	240 0	240 0	120 0	10 10	10 8	10 0	3 6	3 9	3 10	Manbhoom.

V In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Begusarai 11 seers, and Jamui 12 seers.
W In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kissengunge 10 seers, and at Raneegunge in Arrareah sub-division 11 seers.
X The retail price of salt in Godda and Rajmehal sub-divisions was 11 seers per rupee.
Y The retail price of salt at Daltongunge was 9 seers per rupee.
Z In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Govindpore 11 seers, Burra Bazar 10 seers, Raghunathpore 12 seers.

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PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD, AND SALT IN THE DISTRICTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 15TH AUGUST 1884.

PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood and Salt in the

RETAIL SALE:—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY

Number.	DISTRICTS.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice, best sort.			Rice, common.			Bulrush Millet Cumboo, Bajra.			Great Millet—Cholum Jowar.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL.																		
	Western Districts.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S.Ch.
1	Burdwan ...	14 8	14 8	15 0	22 0	22 8	21 0	11 4	12 4	17 4	13 8	15 12	22 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
2	Bankoora ...	15 8	16 0	14 8	16 0	17 0	16 0	12 8	12 8	19 0	15 0	15 8	24 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	Beerbhoom ...	16 8	16 0	15 0	...	...	...	12 0	14 0	16 8	13 8	16 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
4	Midnapore ...	12 0	14 0	14 0	20 0	20 0	17 0	14 0	14 0	18 0	18 0	18 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
5	Hooghly ...	15 0	15 0	13 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	9 0	12 4	13 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Howrah ...	14 0	14 0	13 4	...	...	...	11 4	11 4	13 8	13 4	13 8	17 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Central Districts.																		
	Calcutta ...	17 10	17 12	14 9	27 0	21 5	19 6	8 6	8 14	10 12	11 0	11 6	16 0	13 0	15 0	20 0	13 0	...	21 5
6	24-Pergunnahs	14 0	14 0	13 5	17 8	17 8	16 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	14 8	13 12	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
7	Nuddea ...	16 12	16 12	14 8	21 5½	21 5½	...	11 6	12 5	15 4	12 13	12 13	17 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Khoolna ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 8	13 0	16 0	17 8	18 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Jessore ...	14 0	16 0	13 4	...	...	...	13 5	13 0	16 0	16 8	16 0	21 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
10	Moorshedabad ...	18 0	18 0	15 0	...	...	...	11 0	12 8	14 0	13 0	13 8	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
11	Dinagepore ..	17 4	17 8	16 0	17 8	14 0	17 8	12 8	12 0	18 0	15 0	13 8	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
12	Rajshahye ...	17 13	18 4	15 4	26 4	31 4	33 0	12 8	12 12	14 0 to 16 0	14 8	15 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
13	Rungpore ...	20 0	20 0	13 5	...	...	...	9 12	10 12	12 5	13 0	15 4	15 0		...	...	...	...	...
14	Bogra ...	16 8	16 8	15 0	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	12 0	15 12	15 12	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
15	Pubna ...	23 0	23 4	18 12	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	8 8	16 8	17 4	18 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
16	Darjeeling ...	...	...	8 0	...	...	8 0	5 0	5 0	4 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
17	Julpigoree ...	10 0	10 0	10 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	11 0	11 0	13 0	16 0	14 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Eastern Districts.																		
18	Dacca ...	16 0	16 0	12 8	23 0	23 0	23 0	13 0	13 0	16 8	16 0	16 0	23 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
19	Furreedpore ...	20 0	20 0	21 0	34 0	34 0	30 0	14 0	14 0	18 0	16 0	16 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
20	Backergunge ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	18 0	18 0	18 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
21	Mymensingh ...	18 0	12 8	11 8	...	...	...	12 0	12 8	15 0	16 0	17 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

A In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Culna 14 seers, Cutwa 12 seers, and Ranegunge 13¼ seers.
B The retail price of salt in the interior ranged from 11 to 16 seers per rupee.
C The retail price of salt in the interior ranged from 11½ to 13½ seers per rupee.
D In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Contai 12½ seers, Tumlook 11 seers, and Ghattal 14 seers.
E In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Serampore 13 seers and Jehanabad 13½ seers.
F In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Barraet and Beaserhat 13 seers, Barrackpore 12¾ seers.
G In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kooshtea 13 seers, Meherpore 11½ seers, Chooadanga 14 seers, and Ranaghat 12½ seers.
H The retail price of salt in the sub-divisions of Satkhira and Bagirhat was 11 seers per rupee.
I In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Jhenidah and Nanail 12 seers, Magurah 10¾ seers and Bongong 13 seers.
J In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Lalbagh 11 seers Jungypore and Kandi 12 seers.

Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 15th August 1884.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 Seers. Salt.			DISTRICTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		BENGAL.
																		Western Districts.
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	19 4	19 8	19 8	120 0	120 0	120 0	A 13 4	13 5	12 10	3 0	3 0	3-0-8	Burdwan.
...	...	...	24 0	24 0	32 0	17 12	17 12	17 12	240 0	240 0	240 0	B 12 4	12 4	12 0	3 2	3 2	3-3-6	Bankoora.
...	...	...	...	...	...	19 0	19 0	21 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	C 12 0	12 0	11 4	3-2-6	3-2-6	3 7	Beerbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	155 0	155 0	155 0	D 12 12	12 12	12 0	3-0-3	2 14	2 14	Midnapore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	18 0	17 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	E 13 9	13 9	13 9	2 14	2 14	2 14	Hooghly.
...	...	...	...	...		18 0	18 0	17 0	80 0	80 0	80 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	3 0	3 0	3 0	Howrah.
																		Central Districts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	22 0	21 5	17 12	100 0	100 0	90 0	[illegible]	[illegible]	13 5	[illegible]	2 12	2 12	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	20 0	26 10	17 8	17 8	17 8	100 0	100 0	80 0	F 12 13	12 13	13 5	3 0	3 0	2 14	24-Pergunnahs.
...	...	...	...	...	...	22 15	22 15	20 0	...	...	...	G 11 10½	11 10½	11 10½	3 0	3 0	3 0	Nuddea.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	180 0	180 0	180 0	H 12 0	12 0	10 8	3 2	3 2	3 4	Khoolna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	22 12	22 8	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	I 10 12	10 12	12 0	3 2	3 2	3 2	Jessore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	23 0	23 0	23 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	J 11 9	11 9	11 0	3-2-6	3 3	3 3	Moorshedabad.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 8	17 0	18 0	160 0	160 0	80 0	K 12 0	12 0	11 8	3 4	3 4	3 6	Dinagepore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	23 10	22 8	22 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	12 9	12 9	13 0	3 1	3 1	3 0	Rajshahye.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 0	17 0	17 3	100 0	100 0	110 0	L 9 0	10 0⅜	11 14	3 14	3 12	3-5-3	Rungpore
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 8	19 8	18 0	60 0	60 0	61 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3-5-4	3-5-4	3 2	Bogra.
...	...	...	...	...	...	22 8	22 8	18 8	200 0	200 0	200 0	M 12 6	12 6	12 0	3 2	3 2	3 4	Pubna.
12 0	11 0	10 0	14 0	13 0	13 0	10 0	10 0	8 0	102 8	106 0	138 0	N 8 0	8 0	8 0	4 6	4 6	4 8	Darjeeling.
...	...	...	...	...	...	[illegible]	...	16 0	128 0	128 0	128 0	O 12 4	12 4	11 8	3 4	3 4	3 4	Julpigoree.
																		Eastern Districts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	19 0	19 0	17 4	80 0	80 0	110 0	P 13 0	13 0	12 4	3-1-6	3-1-6	3 4	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	Q 12 0	12 0	12 0	3 2	3 2	3 5	Furreedpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	R 13 0	13 0	13 0	2 11	2 11	2 11	Backergunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	15 0	...	...	...	S 12 4	12 8	12 4	3 4	3 3	3 4	Mymensingh.

K The retail price of salt at Raigunge was 11½ seers and at Nitpore 10 seers per rupee.
L In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Gaibanda 14 seers, Kurigram 13 seers and Nilphamari 12 seers.
M The retail price of salt at Serajgunge was 13 seers per rupee.
N The retail price of salt at Kurseong was 8 seers, and at Silligoree 10 seers per rupee.
O The retail price of salt at Falacotta in Alipur sub-division was 10 seers per rupee.
P In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Manickgunge 12 seers, Moonshegunge 10 seers 10½ chittacks, and Naraingunge 13 seers.
Q In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Madaripore and Bhanga 12 seers, and Gopalgunge 12½ seers.
R In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Patuakhali 10½ seers, Bhola 10 seers, and Perozepore 11 seers
S In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Kishoregunge 10 seers, Atteo 12 seers, and Jamalpore 11½ seers.

RETAIL SALE :—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY THE

Number.	DISTRICTS.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice, best sort.			Rice, common.			Bulrush Millet—Cumboo, Bajra.			Great Millet—Cholum Jowar.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	***Eastern Districts.*—Concluded.**																		
		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
22	Chittagong ...	13 0	14 0	8 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	13 0	17 0	17 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
23	Noakholly ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	20 0	17 0	17 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
24	Tipperah ...	13 4	13 4	12 4	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	17 4	18 8	18 12	21 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
25	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 5	13 5	12 4	16 0	16 0	13 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah	12 0	12 0	10 0	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	16 0	18 0	17 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	BEHAR.																		
26	Patna ...	20 0	20 0	19 0	19 0	19 0	25 0	11 4	11 4	14 0	13 0	13 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
27	Gya ...	16 4	16 8	18 8	20 0	20 0	24 0	9 4	9 4	12 0	11 8	12 8	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
28	Shahabad ...	18 0	18 0	15 0 to 16 0	20 0	22 0	26 0	9 0	9 0	10 0	12 0	13 0	15 0 to 16 0	20 8	21 0	27 0	...	...	...
29	Durbhunga ...	15 7	17 9	15 8	18 12	19 14	28 0	9 15	9 15	13 0	12 1	13 4	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
30	Mozufferpore ...	17 0	17 0	18 0	19 0	20 0	30 0	9 0	10 0	12 0	13 0	13 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
31	Sarun ...	18 0	18 8	17 0	20 8	22 4	26 0	8 0	8 0	10 0	12 4	12 8	18 0	...	...	...	21 0	22 8	29 0
32	Chumparun ...	16 0	16 0	19 0	...	...	32 0	11 0	10 8	13 0	13 0	13 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
33	Monghyr ...	19 12	19 11	19 10	21 0	21 0	26 4	10 8	11 2	13 10	12 1	12 13	15 3	...	...	...	...	...	...
34	Bhagulpore ...	17 10	18 4	16 6	18 15	20 8	30 4	11 6	12 0	15 2	12 10	13 14	17 10	...	...	...	...	...	...
35	Purneah ...	17 0	14 0	17 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	14 0	14 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
36	Maldah ...	20 0	20 0	17 8	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	15 0	15 0	14 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
37	Sonthal Pergs.	13 0	13 0	12 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 8	16 0	14 8	15 0	23 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	ORISSA.																		
38	Cuttack ...	18 6	18 6	13 2	...	...	...	13 2	13 2	13 2	18 6 (a)	18 6	22 5	...	...	...	...	...	...
39	Pooree ...	13 2	13 2	11 13	...	...	...	13 12	13 2	21 0	18 6	17 1	23 10	...	...	...	...	...	...
40	Balasore ...	17 0	16 0	14 0	11 0	11 0	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	20 0	20 0	28 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*																		
41	Hazareebagh ...	13 0	13 0	15 0	14 0	16 0	20 0	9 0	10 0	9 0	11 0	12 0	15 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
42	Lohardugga ...	12 0	13 0	15 0	...	12 0	20 0	12 0	13 0	18 0	14 0	16 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
43	Singbhoom ...	18 0	18 0	18 0	22 0	22 0	24 0	20 0	20 0	32 0	24 0	24 0	36 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
44	Manbhoom ...	13 0	13 0	13 0	...	...	...	13 0	12 8	16 0	19 0	19 0	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

(*a*) Price of rice in the interior ranged from 19 seers 11 chittacks to 30 seers 4 chittacks per rupee.
T Retail price of salt at Kumeriah and Hathazaree 10 seers and Cox's Bazar 9 seers per rupee.
U The retail price of salt in the interior ranged from 9 to 12½ seers per rupee.
V In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Brahmanbaria 12½ seers and Chandpore 12½ seers.
W In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Buxar 11½ seers, Bhabhua 11 seers, and Sasseram 12 seers.
X In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Tajpore 11½ and Madhubani 11 seers.
Y In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Hajeepore 12 seers, and Seetamarhi 11 seers.
Z In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Sowan 11½ seers, and Gopalgunge 12 seers.
Z1 The retail price of salt in the interior ranged from 10 to 13 seers per rupee.

SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 seers. Salt.			DISTRICTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		Eastern Districts.—(Concluded.
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	16 0	13 0	120 0	120 0	40 0	T 9 0	9 8	9 8	4 0	4 0	4 0	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...	U 10 0	10 0	10 0	...	3 6	3 6	Noakholly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 4	16 0	18 0	...	...	...	V 12 0	12 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Tipperah.
...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	320 0	320 0	320 0	8 0	8 0	6 4	4 8	4 8	6 0	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	12 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Hill Tipperah.
																		BEHAR.
...	...	...	22 0	22 0	31 0	20 0	22 0	22 8	100 0	100 0	130 0	10 8	10 8	9 12	3 2	3 2	3-1-6	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	19 0	19 8	21 0	200 0	200 0	160 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 6	Gya.
...	...	...	...	...	...	21 0	21 0	26 0 to 27 0	140 0	140 0	100 0	W 12 0	12 0	12 8	3-1-0	3-1-0	3-1-0	Shahabad.
...	19 14	31 0	19 14	20 15	...	19 14	22 0	22 8	...	176 0	160 0	X 12 9	11 8	10 0	3 0	3-4-0	3-10-0	Durbhunga.
...	...	...	20 0	20 0	30 0	19 0	20 0	24 0	140 0	140 0	140 0	Y 12 0	12 0	11 0	3 3	3 4	3 8	Mozufferpore.
22 0	22 0	30 0	21 0	22 8	28 0	20 0	21 8	25 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	Z 11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Sarun.
...	...	...	20 0	21 0	32 0	18 0	19 0	26 0	..	...	...	Z1 11 8	11 8	11 8	3 7	3 7	...	Chumparun.
...	...	...	25 12	21 0	27 4	23 1	23 1	24 14	126 0	126 0	126 0	Z2 12 9	12 1	12 9	3-[illegible]	[illegible]	3-2-5	3-0-9	Monghyr.
...	...	...	25 4	20 3	30 4	21 7	22 1	22 11	151 8	138 0	151 8	Z3 12 10	12 10	12 10	2 15	2-15-6	3-0-6	Bhagulpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	20 0	20 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	Z4 10 12	10 12	9 0	3-13 6	3-13-6	4 0	Purneah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	22 8	23 0	23 8	160 0	200 0	160 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3 0	3 2	3 3	Malsah.
...	...	...	17 0	17 0	28 0	17 0	17 0	18 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	Z5 11 0	11 0	10 8	3-7-0	2 7	3-11-6	Sonthal Pergns.
																		ORISSA.
15 12	19 11	18 6	...	..	..	21 0	22 5	18 6	80 0	80 0	80 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	2 13	2 12	2 12	Cuttack.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 6	17 1	16 4	100 0	80 0	90 0	15 0	15 0	14 0	2 6	2 6	2 14	Pooree.
...	...	...	...	...	..	14 0	14 0	14 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	10 8	10 8	9 3	3 [illegible]	[illegible]8 7	4 2	Balasore.
																		CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*
16 0	17 0	28 0	...	15 0	20 0	14 0	14 8	18 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	Z6 10 0	10 0	10 0	3 12	3 12	3-8-6	Hazareebagh.
22 0	24 0	28 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	15 0	120 0	120 0	100 0	Z7 9 0	9 8	8 0	4 4	4 0	4 10	Lohardugga.
...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	24 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	8 0	8 0	6 0	4 7	4 7	5 11	Singbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	17 0	240 0	240 0	120 0	Z8 10 10	10 8	10 0	3 6	3 9	3 10	Manbhoom.

Z2 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Begusarai 11 seers, and Jamui 12 seers.
Z3 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Banka 12 seers, Madhupura 11 seers and Soopoole 10 seers.
Z4 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kissengunge 10 seers, and at Kaneegunge in Arrareah sub-division 11 seers.
Z5 The retail price of salt in Godda and Rajmehal sub-divisions was 11 seers per rupee.
Z6 Retail price of salt at Chuttra 9½ seers and Kharruckdiha 11 seers.
Z7 The retail price of salt at Daltongunge was 9 seers per rupee.
Z8 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Govindpore 11 seers, Burra Bazar 10 seers, Raguuathpore 12 seers.

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Statistical Branch. Calcutta, for continuation of
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PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD, AND SALT IN THE DISTRICTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 31st AUGUST 1864.

PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood and Salt in the

RETAIL SALE:—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY

Number.	DISTRICTS.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice, best sort.			Rice, common.			Bulrush Millet Cumboo, Bajra.			Great Millet—Cholum Jowar.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL.																		
	Western Districts.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
1	Burdwan ...	15 0	14 8	15 0	22 8	22 0	22 8	11 0	11 4	17 8	14 0	13 8	22 11	...	...	...	...	...	...
2	Bankoora ...	15 0	15 8	13 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	12 8	12 8	20 0	15 0	15 0	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	Beerbhoom ...	16 8	16 8	15 8	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	16 8	13 8	13 8	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
4	Midnapore ...	12 0	12 0	13 0	20 0	20 0	17 0	14 0	14 0	17 0	13 0	13 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
5	Hooghly ...	15 0	15 0	13 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	9 0	12 8	12 4	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Howrah ...	14 0	14 0	13 4	...	...	...	13 8	11 4	13 8	13 4	13 4	17 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Central Districts.																		
	Calcutta ...	17 10	17 10	15 5	26 12	27 0	20 10	8 6	8 6	10 12	10 12	11 0	16 0	11 8	13 0	21 5	11 7	13 0	23 0
6	24-Pergunnahs	14 0	14 0	13 5	17 8	17 8	17 12	8 0	8 0	8 0	13 5	14 8	14 0	...	...	13 5	...	...	16 0
7	Nuddea ...	16 0	16 12	14 8	20 0	21 5½	22 15	11 6	11 6	15 4	12 4	12 13	17 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Khoolna ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	12 8	16 0	13 0	17 8	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Jessore ...	14 0	14 0	12 4	...	...	...	12 4	13 5	16 0	16 0	16 8	21 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
10	Moorshedabad ...	18 0	18 0	15 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	15 0	13 0	13 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
11	Dinagepore ...	17 4	17 4	16 0	17 12	17 8	17 8	13 0	12 8	18 0	16 0	15 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
12	Rajshahye ...	19 4	17 13	15 4	26 4	26 4	29 0	12 8	12 8	{14 0 to 15 4}	16 0	14 8	{20 0 to 22 0}	...	...	...	...	...	...
13	Rungpore ...	20 0	20 0	13 5	...	...	...	9 10	9 12	13 5	13 0	13 0	19 0		...	...	...	...	...
14	Bogra ...	16 8	16 8	15 0	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	12 0	15 0	15 12	22 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
15	Pubna ...	21 12	23 0	18 12	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	8 8	16 0	16 8	18 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
16	Darjeeling ...	9 0	...	8 0	10 0	...	8 0	5 0	5 0	5 8	10 0	11 0	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
17	Julpigoree ...	10 0	10 0	10 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	11 0	11 0	12 8	13 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Eastern Districts.																		
18	Dacca ...	16 0	16 0	13 5	23 0	23 0	23 12	13 0	13 0	17 12	16 0	16 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
19	Furreedpore ...	20 0	20 0	21 0	34 0	34 0	30 0	14 0	14 0	18 0	16 0	16 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
20	Backergunge ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	15 0	18 0	16 0	18 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
21	Mymensingh ...	13 0	13 0	11 8	...	...	...	12 4	12 0	14 5	16 0	16 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

A In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Culna 14 seers, Cutwa 13 seers, and Ranegunge 13½ seers.
B In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 11 to 16 seers per rupee.
C In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 11½ to 13½ seers per rupee.
D In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Ghatal 14½ seers, Tumlook 11 seers, and Contai 12½ seers.
E In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Berampore 13 seers and Jehanabad 13½ seers.
F In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Baraset and Bussirhat 13 seers, Barrackpore 12½ seers, and Dum Dum 12 seers.
G In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kooshtea 13 seers, Meherpore 11 seers, Chooadanga 14 seers, and Ranaghat 12½ seers.
H In the sub-divisions the retail price of salt at Satkhira and Bagirhat was 11 seers per rupee.
I In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Jhenidah and Nuwal 12 seers, Magurah 10½ seers and Bongong 13 seers.
J In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Lalbagh 11 seers and Jungypore and Kandi 12 seers.

Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 31st August 1884.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 seers. Salt.			DISTRICTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		BENGAL.
																		Western Districts.
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 0	19 4	20 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	A 13 4	13 4	12 10	3 0	3 0	3-0-8	Burdwan.
...	...	...	24 0	24 0	32 0	17 12	17 12	17 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	B 12 0	13 4	13 0	3 3	3 2	3-3-6	Bankoora.
...	...	...	...	...	...	19 0	19 0	21 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	C 12 0	13 0	11 4	3-2-6	3-2-6	3 7	Beerbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	17 0	155 0	155 0	155 0	D 12 12	12 12	12 8	3-0-3	3-0-3	2 14	Midnapore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	17 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	E 13 9	13 9	13 9	2 14	2 14	2 14	Hooghly.
...	...	...	...	...		18 0	18 0	17 0	80 0	80 0	80 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	3 0	3 0	3 0	Howrah.
																		Central Districts.
...	...	...	21 5	...	21 5	22 0	22 0	16 13	100 0	100 0	90 0	13 0	...	13 5	3-11-3	...	2 12	Calcutta.
...	...	16 0	17 8	...	...	17 8	17 8	17 12	90 0	100 0	80 0	F 12 13	12 13	13 5	3 0	3 0	2 14	24-Pergunnahs.
...	...	...	...	...	...	21 5½	22 15	20 0	...	...	...	G 11 10½	11 10½	11 10½	...	3 0	3 0	Nuddea.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	180 0	180 0	180 0	H 12 0	12 0	10 8	3 2	3 2	3 4	Khoolna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	21 4	22 12	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	I 10 12	10 12	12 0	3 2	3 2	3 2	Jessore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	23 0	23 0	23 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	J 11 9	11 9	12 8	3-2-6	3-2-6	3 2	Moorshedabad.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 12	17 8	18 0	120 0	160 0	80 0	K 12 0	12 0	11 8	3 4	3 4	3 6	Dinagepore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	22 3	23 10	21 8	240 0	240 0	240 0	L 12 11	12 9	12 4	3-2-6	3 1	3 0	Rajshahye.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 0	18 0	17 3	100 0	100 0	110 0	M 9 0	9 0	11 14	3 14	3 14	3-5-3	Rungpore
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 8	16 8	17 4	60 0	60 0	82 8	12 0	12 0	12 0	3-5-4	3-5-4	3-5-4	Bogra.
...	...	...	...	...	...	21 12	22 8	19 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	N 12 6	12 6	12 0	3-1-6	3 2	3 3	Pubna.
15 0	13 0	10 0	20 0*	14 0	25 0	10 0	10 0	8 0	102 8	102 8	128 0	O 8 0	8 0	8 0	4 4	4 6	4 8	Darjeeling.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	...	16 0	128 0	128 0	128 0	P 12 4	12 4	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Julpigoree.
																		Eastern Districts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	19 0	19 0	18 0	80 0	80 0	97 0	Q 13 0	13 0	12 8	3 0	3-1-6	3 4	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	R 12 0	12 0	12 0	3 2	3 2	3 5	Furreedpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	S 13 0	13 0	13 0	2-11	2 11	2 11	Backergunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 8	16 0	15 0	...	...	...	T 12 4	12 4	12 4	3 4	3 4	3 4	Mymensingh.

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* New.

K The retail prices of salt were at Raigunge 11½ seers and Nitpore 10 seers per rupee.
L In the sub divisions the retail price of salt was at Nattore and Nowgong 12 seers per rupee.
M In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :— Nilphamari 13 seers, and Kurigram and Gaibanda 13 seers.
N The retail price of salt at Serajgunge was 13 seers per rupee.
O The retail price of salt at Kurseong was 8 seers, and at Silligoree 10 seers per rupee.
P The retail price of salt at Palacotta in Alipur sub-division was 10 seers per rupee.
Q In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Munickgunge 12 seers, Moonshegunge 10 seers 10½ chittacks, and Naraingunge 13 seers.
R In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Goalundo 13 seers, and Madaripore 12 seers.
S In the sub-division of Patuakhali the retail price of salt was 10 seers per rupee.
T In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Jamalpore 11½ seers, Attea 12 seers, Netrokona 12 4/16 seers, and Kishoregunge 10 seers.

RETAIL SALE :—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY THE

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM JOWAR.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	Eastern Districts.—Concluded.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
22	Chittagong ...	14 0	13 0	11 4	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	16 0	17 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
23	Noakholly ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	19 0	16 0	17 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
24	Tipperah ...	13 5	13 4	11 12	...	...	...	12 10	15 0	16 12	17 6	18 8	22 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
25	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 5	13 5	12 5	16 0	16 0	13 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah	12 0	12 0	10 0	...	...	...	12 0	14 0	15 0	16 0	18 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	BEHAR.																		
26	Patna ...	20 0	20 0	21 0	22 0	19 0	25 0	11 4	11 4	15 0	13 0	13 0	15 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
27	Gya ...	17 0	16 4	17 8	20 0	20 0	23 0	9 8	9 4	12 0	12 0	11 8	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
28	Shahabad ...	18 0	18 0 { 15 0 to 16 0 }		20 0	20 0	26 0	9 0	9 0 { 11 0 to 12 0 }		12 8	12 0 { 14 0 to 16 0 }		23 0	20 8	26 0	...	...	...
29	Durbhunga ...	17 0	15 7	15 0	19 6	18 12	...	9 6	9 15	12 8	11 9	12 1	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
30	Mozufferpore ...	17 0	17 0	17 0	19 0	19 0	30 0	9 0	9 0	12 0	13 0	13 0	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
31	Sarun ...	18 0	16 0	16 0	21 0	20 8	25 0	8 0	8 0	10 0	12 0	12 4	18 0	...	...	...	22 0	21 0	26 0
32	Chumparun ...	16 0	16 0	19 0	...	...	32 0	11 0	11 0	13 0	14 0	13 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
33	Monghyr ...	18 9	19 12	16 13	19 11	21 0	23 1	10 8	10 8	12 9	11 9	12 1	15 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
34	Bhagulpore ...	17 15	17 10	15 12	20 3	18 15	24 0	10 6	11 6	15 2	12 10	12 10	17 10	...	...	...	...	...	...
35	Purneah ...	17 0	17 0	17 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	14 0	14 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
36	Maldah ...	20 0	20 0	17 0	...	...	...	13 8	11 0	15 0	15 0	15 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
37	Sonthal Perga.	13 0	13 0	12 0	...	...	...	12 8	12 0	17 0	14 0	14 8	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	ORISSA.																		
38	Cuttack ...	18 6	18 6	13 2	...	...	...	13 2	13 2	13 2	18 6	18 6	22 5	...	...	...	...	...	...
39	Pooree ...	13 2	13 2	11 13	...	...	...	13 13	13 12	19 11	16 6	18 6	23 10	...	...	...	...	...	...
40	Balasore ...	17 0	17 0	14 0	11 0	11 0	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	20 0	20 0	28 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*																		
41	Hazareebagh ...	13 0	13 0	14 0	15 0	14 0	21 0	10 0	9 0	9 0	11 8	11 0	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
42	Lohardugga ...	12 0	12 0	16 0	...	...	20 0	12 0	12 0	18 0	14 0	14 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
43	Singbhoom ...	18 0	18 0	18 0	22 0	22 0	24 0	20 0	20 0	32 0	24 0	24 0	36 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
44	Manbhoom ...	13 0	13 0	13 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	18 0	19 0	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

(a) In the interior the retail price of rice ranged from 21 to 26½ seers per rupee.
U The retail price of salt at Cox's Bazar was 9 seers per rupee.
V In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 9 to 12½ seers per rupee.
W In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Aurungabad and Jehanabad 12 seers, and Newadah 10 seers.
X In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Buxar 11½ seers, Bhabhua 11 seers, and Sasseram 12 seers.
Y In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Madhubani 11 seers, and Tajpore 11½ seers.
Z In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Seetamarhi 11 seers, and Hajeepore 12 seers.
Z1 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Sewan 11½ seers, and Gopalgunge 12 seers.
Z2 In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 10 to 13 seers per rupee.

SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 seers. Salt.			
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding ret rn of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	DISTRICTS.

Eastern Districts.—(Concluded.

S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	15 0	13 0	120 0	120 0	40 0	U 8 0	9 0	9 8	4 12	4 0	4 0	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...	V 10 0	10 0	10 0	3 6	...	3 2	Noakholly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	17 4	18 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	12 0	3 3	3 4	3 4	Tipperah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	320 0	320 0	320 0	8 0	8 0	6 4	4 8	4 8	6 0	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	12 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Hill Tipperah.

BEHAR.

...	...	...	24 0	22 0	27 0	21 0	20 0	...	100 0	100 0	130 0	10 8	10 8	9 12	3 2	3 2	3-1-8	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	21 0	19 0	20 8	220 0	200 0	160 0	W 11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 6	Gya.
...	...	...	...	...	...	24 0 to 25 0	21 0	24 0 to 25 0	140 0	140 0	100 0	X 12 0	12 0	12 8	3-1-0	3-1-0	3-1-0	Shahabad.
23 1	...	29 0	28 1	19 14	...	20 15	19 14	20 0	176 0	...	160 0	Y 12 6	12 9	10 0	3 0	3 0	3-10-0	Durbhunga.
...	...	...	20 0	20 0	30 0	20 0	19 0	23 0	140 0	140 0	140 0	Z 12 0	12 0	11 0	3 4	3 3	3 6	Mozufferpore.
22 8	22 0	30 0	21 0	21 0	26 0	20 0	20 0	25 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	Z1 11 0	11 0	11 0	3 3	3 4	3 4	Sarun.
...	...	...	21 0	20 0	32 0	18 0	18 0	24 0	...	...	...	Z2 11 0	11 8	11 8	3 10	3 7	...	Chumparun.
...	...	...	30 8	25 12	31 8	23 9	23 1	25 3	126 0	126 0	126 0	Z3 12 1	12 9	12 9	3-2 6	3-0-5	2-15-6	Monghyr.
...	...	...	29 0	25 4	37 14	22 1	21 7	24 0	151 8	151 8	126 4	Z4 12 10	12 10	12 10	2 15	2 15	3 1	Bhagulpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	20 0	20 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	Z5 10 12	10 12	9 0	3-13 6	3-13-6	4 0	Purneah.
..	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	22 8	21 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3 2	3 0	3 2	Maldah.
...	...	...	18 12	17 0	28 0	17 0	17 0	18 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	Z6 11 12	11 0	10 8	3-5-6	3 7	3-11-6	Sonthal Pergns.

ORISSA.

15 12	15 12	15 12	...	...	...	21 0	21 0	18 6	80 0	80 0	80 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	2 12	2 12	2 12	Cuttack.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 6	18 6	17 1	105 0	100 0	90 0	14 0	15 0	13 0	2 7	2 6	2 12	Pooree.
...	...	...	...	...	.	16 0	14 0	14 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	Z7 10 12	10 8	9 3	3 6	3 7	4 2	Balasore.

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17 0	16 0	30 0	...	...	24 0	15 0	14 0	14 8	240 0	240 0	240 0	Z8 10 0	10 0	10 0	3 11	3 12	3-9-9	Hazareebagh.
24 0	22 0	28 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	15 0	120 0	120 0	100 0	Z9 9 0	9 0	9 0	4 4	4 4	4 0	Lohardugga.
...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	24 0	180 0	180 0	180 0	8 0	8 0	6 0	4 7	4 7	5 11	Singbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	17 0	240 0	240 0	120 0	Z10 10 10	10 10	10 0	3 10	3 6	3 10	Manbhoom.

Z3 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Begusarai 11 seers, and Jamui 11½ seers.
Z4 In the sub-divisions the retail price of salt at Banka, Madhupura, and Soopole was 11 seers per rupee.
Z5 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kissengunge 10 seers, and Rane-gunge in Arrareah sub-division 11 seers.
Z6 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Deoghur 13 seers, Godda 11 seers.
Z7 The retail price of salt at Bhuddrack was 8 seers per rupee.
Z8 The retail price of salt at Kharagdiha in the Giridih sub-division was 11½ seers per rupee.
Z9 The retail price of salt at Daltongange in the Palamow sub-division was 9 seers per rupee.
Z10 The retail price of salt in the Goviudpore sub-division was 11 seers per rupee.

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PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD, AND SALT IN THE DISTRICTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 15T HSEPTEMBER 1884.

RETAIL SALE:—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM JOWAR.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL.																		
	Western Districts.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
1	Burdwan ...	14 8	15 0	14 8	22 0	22 8	25 0	12 0	11 0	17 8	14 4	14 0	24 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
2	Bankoora ...	15 0	15 0	13 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	13 0	12 8	20 0	14 8	15 0	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	Beerbhoom ...	16 8	16 8	15 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	16 8	14 0	13 8	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
4	Midnapore ...	12 0	12 0	13 0	20 0	20 0	17 0	15 0	14 0	18 0	18 0	18 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
5	Hooghly ...	15 0	15 0	13 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	9 0	12 8	12 8	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Howrah ...	14 8	14 0	13 4	...	...	...	11 4	11 8	14 0	13 4	13 4	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Central Districts.																		
	Calcutta ...	17 10	17 10	15 0	26 12	26 12	20 10	8 6	8 6	10 12	10 12	10 12	16 0	11 8	11 8	21 5	11 7	11 7	20 10
6	24-Pergunnahs	14 0	14 0	13 5	17 8	17 8	16 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	14 8	13 5	14 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
7	Nuddea ...	16 0	16 0	14 8	20 0	20 0	22 15	11 3½	11 6	14 8	12 0	12 4	17 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Khoolna ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 8	13 0	16 0	17 0	18 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Jessore ...	14 0	14 0	13 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 4	15 0	16 0	16 0	21 4	...	..	...	...	...	...
10	Moorshedabad ...	18 8	18 0	16 0	...	...	...	10 0	11 0	15 0	13 0	13 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
11	Dinagepore ...	14 0	17 4	17 4	17 8	17 12	16 0	12 0	13 0	14 4	13 0	16 0	23 0	..	...	...	...	...	...
12	Rajshahye ...	{16 8 to 19 3}	19 4	15 4	24 0	26 4	29 0	{9 0 to 13 8}	12 8	15 4	15 0	16 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
13	Rungpore ...	18 0	20 0	13 5	...	...	...	9 6	9 10	13 5	11 10	13 0	19 0		...	...	...	...	...
14	Bogra ...	16 2	16 8	24 0	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	12 12	13 8	15 0	21 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
15	Pubna ...	19 8	21 12	18 12	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	8 4	13 8	16 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
16	Darjeeling ...	...	9 0	8 0	...	10 0	8 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	11 0	10 0	12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
17	Julpigoree ...	10 0	10 0	10 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	11 0	11 0	12 8	...	13 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Eastern Districts.																		
18	Dacca ...	16 0	16 0	13 5	23 0	23 0	22 10	11 10	13 0	17 0	14 0	16 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
19	Furreedpore ...	20 0	20 0	21 0	34 0	34 0	30 0	12 0	14 0	20 0	13 0	16 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
20	Backergunge ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	18 0	16 0	16 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
21	Mymensingh ...	12 0	13 0	11 8	...	...	...	10 0	12 4	13 4	13 8	16 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

A In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Culna 14 seers, Cutwa 12 seers, and Ranegunge 13¼ seers.
B In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 11 to 16 seers per rupee.
C In the interior the retail price ranged from 11½ to 13½ seers per rupee.
D In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Contai 12½ and Ghattal 14½ seers.
E In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Serampore 13 seers and Jehannabad 13½ seers.
F In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Baraset 13 seers, Barrackpore 12½ seers, and Dum Dum 12½ seers.
G In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kooshtea 13 seers, Meherpore 12 seers, Chooadanga 14 seers, and Ranaghat 12½ seers.
H In the sub-divisions the retail price of salt per rupee was Satkhira and Bagirhat 11 seers.
I In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Jhenidah and Nariail 12 seers, Magurah 10½ seers and Bongong 13 seers.
J In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Lalbagh 11 seers and Kandi and Jungypore 12 seers.

Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 15th September 1884.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per maund of 40 seers. Salt.			DISTRICTS
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		BENGAL.
																		Western Districts.
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Re. A.	Rs. A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	19 0	18 0	20 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	A 13 0	13 4	12 13	2-14-8	3 0	3 0	Burdwan.
...	...	...	24 0	24 0	32 0	17 8	17 12	17 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	B 13 0	12 0	12 0	3-2-6	3 3	3-3-6	Bankoora.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 12	19 0	21 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	C 12 0	12 0	11 4	3-2-6	3-2-6	3-5-3	Beerbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	155 0	155 0	155 0	D 12 12	12 12	12 8	3-0-3	3-0-3	3 14	Midnapore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	17 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	E 13 9	13 9	13 9	2 14	2 14	2 14	Hooghly.
...	...	...	...	...		17 8	18 0	17 12	80 0	80 0	80 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	3 0	3 0	3 0	Howrah.
																		Central Districts.
...	...	...	21 8	21 5	23 0	22 0	22 0	18 13	100 0	100 0	90 0	12 14	13 0	13 5	2-11-6	2-11-3	2 12	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	17 8	20 0	17 8	17 8	17 8	90 0	90 0	80 0	F 12 13	12 13	12 13	3 0	3 0	3 0	24-Pergunnahs.
...	...	...	...	...	...	21 5½	21 5½	18 13	...	...	...	G 11 10½	11 10½	11 10½	...	...	3-1-11	Nuddea.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	200 0	180 0	180 0	H 12 0	12 0	10 8	3 2	3 2	3 4	Khoolna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 0	21 4	16 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	I 10 12	10 12	11 0	3 2	3 2	3 2	Jessore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	21 0	23 0	22 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	J 12 0	11 9	12 8	3 3	3-2-6	3 2	Moorshedabad.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 12	20 0	160 0	120 0	80 0	K 12 8	12 0	11 0	3 2	3 4	3 6	Dinagepore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	21 0	22 8	22 8	240 0	240 0	240 0	12 12	12 11	12 0	3 0	3-2-6	3 0	Rajshahye.
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 4	18 0	17 3	100 0	100 0	110 0	L 11 14	9 0	11 14	3 5	3 14	...	Rungpore
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 0	16 8	19 2	75 0	60 0	62 8	12 0	12 0	12 0	3-5-4	3-5-4	...	Bogra.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 4	21 12	18 12	200 0	200 0	200 0	M 12 6	12 6	12 0	3-1-6	3-1-6	3 4	Pubna.
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																		Eastern Districts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	19 0	18 0	110 0	80 0	97 0	P 13 0	13 0	12 10	3 0	3 0	...	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	17 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	Q 12 0	12 0	12 0	3 2	3 2	3 5	Furreedpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	R 13 0	13 0	13 0	2-11	2-11	2 11	Backergunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 8	15 8	15 0	...	...	...	S 12 4	12 4	12 4	3 2	3 4	3 4	Mymensingh.

* New.

K The retail price of salt at Raigunge was 11½ seers and at Netpore 10 seers.
L In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Alipuamari 12 seers and Gaibanda 13 seers.
M The retail price of salt at Serajgunge was 13 seers per rupee.
N In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Kurseong 8 seers and Silliguri 10 seers.
O The retail price of salt at Falacotta in Alipur sub-division was 10 seers per rupee.
P In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Manickgunge 12 seers, Moonshigunge 10 seers 10⅔ chittacks, and Naraingunge 13 seers.
Q In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Goalundo 13 seers, and Madaripur 12 seers.
R In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Perozepore 11 seers, Bhola 10 seers, and Patuakhali 10⅔ seers.
S In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Attia 12 seers, Jamalpore 11½ seers, Netrokona 12 1/12 seers and Kishoregunge 10⅔ seers.

PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood and Salt in the

RETAIL SALE :—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY THE

Number.	DISTRICTS.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice, best sort.			Rice, common.			Bulrush Millet—Cumboo, Bajra.			Great Millet—Cholum Jowar.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	Eastern Districts.—Concluded.																		
		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
22	Chittagong ...	15 0	14 0	11 4	...	...	...	18 0	18 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
23	Noakholly ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	15 0	19 0	14 0	16 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
24	Tipperah ...	13 5	13 5	12 14	...	...	...	12 12	12 10	18 0	16 0	17 6	25 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
25	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 5	13 5	13 0	16 0	16 0	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah	12 0	12 0	10 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	16 0	14 0	16 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	BEHAR.																		
26	Patna ...	21 0	20 0	21 0	25 0	22 0	29 0	11 4	11 4	15 0	12 0	13 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
27	Gya ...	18 0	17 0	17 8	21 0	20 0	21 0	9 0	9 8	12 0	11 4	12 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
28	Shahabad ...	19 0	18 0	15 0 to 15 8	19 0	20 0	25 0	8 0	9 0	10 0 to 11 0	12 8	12 8	15 0 to 16 0	23 0	20 0	25 0	...	...	...
29	Durbhunga ...	17 9	17 0	15 0	20 15	19 6	...	9 15	9 6	12 0	13 8	11 9	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
30	Mozufferpore ...	17 0	17 0	18 0	...	19 0	25 0	9 0	9 0	11 0	13 0	13 0	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
31	Sarun ...	19 0	18 0	16 0	25 0	21 0	27 0	8 0	8 0	10 0	12 0	12 0	18 8	...	...	...	24 0	22 0	27 0
32	Chumparun ...	15 0	16 0	19 0	...	...	31 0	11 0	11 0	14 0	14 8	14 0	17 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
33	Monghyr ...	18 14	18 9	17 9	21 0	19 11	24 2½	9 7	10 8	13 2	10 8	11 9	15 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
34	Bhagulpore ...	18 4	17 15	15 8	20 3	20 3	22 11	10 1	10 6	15 2	12 10	12 10	17 10	...	...	...	...	...	...
35	Purneah ...	16 0	17 0	18 0	...	...	...	12 0	13 0	16 0	13 0	14 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
36	Maldah ...	20 0	20 0	18 0	...	...	...	11 0	13 8	16 0	14 0	15 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
37	Sonthal Pergs.	16 0	13 0	13 0	...	...	...	11 0	12 0	18 0	14 8	14 0	23 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	ORISSA.																		
38	Cuttack ...	18 6	18 6	11 13	...	...	...	13 2	13 2	13 2	18 6	18 6 [a]	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
39	Pooree ...	14 7	13 2	10 8	...	...	...	13 12	13 12	21 0	15 1	18 6	23 10	...	...	...	...	...	...
40	Balasore ...	16 0	17 0	16 0	11 0	11 0	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	19 0	20 0	28 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*																		
41	Hazareebagh ...	13 8	13 0	14 0	15 0	15 0	17 0	10 8	10 0	9 0	11 12	11 8	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
42	Lohardugga ...	12 0	12 0	15 0	...	...	20 0	12 0	12 0	18 0	14 0	14 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
43	Singbhoom ...	18 0	18 0	18 0	22 0	22 0	24 0	20 0	20 0	32 0	24 0	24 0	36 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
44	Manbhoom ...	13 0	13 0	13 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	19 0	18 0	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

(*a*) In the interior the retail price of rice ranged from 17-1 to 26½ seers per rupee.
T The retail price of salt at Cox's Bazar was 7 seers per rupee.
U In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 9 to 12½ seers per rupee.
V In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Brahmanbariah 12½ seers and Chandpore 12½ seers.
W The retail price of salt at Aurungabad was 1.3 seers per rupee.
X In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Bhabhua 11 seers, and Buxar 12 seers.
Y In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Tajpore 11½ seers, and Madhubani 13 seers.
Z In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 11 to 12 seers per rupee.
Z1 In the sub-divisions the retail price of salt per rupee was :—Sewan and Gopalgunge 12 seers.

SEER OF 80 TOLAIIS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 seers. Salt.			Districts.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		Eastern Districts.—(Concluded.
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.				Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	13 0	...	120 0	40 0	T 8 0	8 0	10 0	4 12	4 12	...	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...	U 10 0	10 0	10 0	3 6	3 6	3 2	Noakholly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	V 12 8	12 0	12 4	3 2	3 3	3 2	Tipperah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	320 0	320 0	320 0	6 6	8 0	6 4	5 8	4 8	6 0	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	14 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Hill Tipperah.
																		BEHAR.
...	...	...	30 0	24 0	32 0	24 0	21 0	28 0	100 0	100 0	130 0	10 8	10 8	9 12	3 2	3 2	3 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	22 0	21 0	21 0	220 0	220 0	180 0	W 11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 5	Gya.
...	...	...	...	...	...	22 8	24 0 to 25 0	24 0 to 25 0	140 0	140 0	100 0	X 12 0	12 0	12 8	3-1-0	3 "1	3 1	Shahabad.
25 5	23 1	29 0	27 8	23 1	...	22 0	20 15	20 0	176 0	176 0	160 0	Y 12 1	12 6	10 0	3-3-3	3 0	3 10	Durbhunga.
...	...	...	26 0	20 0	28 0	20 0	20 0	23 0	140 0	140 0	140 0	Z 12 0	12 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Mozufferpore.
24 0	22 8	30 0	28 8	21 0	28 0	21 0	20 0	25 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	Z1 11 0	11 0	11 0	3 3	3 3	3 4	Sarun.
...	...	...	26 0	21 0	28 0	17 0	18 0	24 0	...	...	...	Z2 12 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 10	3 6	Chumparun.
...	...	...	31 8	30 8	36 12	23 1	23 9	24 8	126 0	126 0	120 0	Z3 12 9	12 1	12 9	2-14-6	3-2-6	2 15	Monghyr.
...	...	...	...	...	...	22 1	22 1	22 11	151 8	151 8	151 14	Z4 12 10	12 10	12 10	3 0	2 15	3 2	Bhagulpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 0	20 0	20 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	Z5 10 12	10 12	9 0	3-13-6	3-13-6	4 0	Purneah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	20 0	20 0	200 0	160 0	160 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3 2-6	3 2	3 4	Maldah.
...	...	...	..	18 8	28 0	18 0	17 0	17 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	Z6 11 12	11 12	10 0	3-4-6	3-5-6	3 12	Sonthal Pergns.
																		ORISSA.
15 12	15 12	18 6	...	...	...	21 0	21 0	18 6	80 0	80 0	80 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	2 13	2 12	2 12	Cuttack.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 6	18 6	17 6	105 0	105 0	100 0	...	14 0	13 0	...	2 7	2 12	Pooree.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	Z7 10 12	10 12	9 3	3 6	3, 6	4 2	Balasore.
																		CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*
27 0*	17 0	33 0	32 0*	...	...	17 0	15 0	16 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	Z8 10 0	10 0	10 0	3 11	3 11	3-8-6	Hazareebagh.
24 0	24 0	28 0	32 0*	...	...	12 0	12 0	14 0	120 0	120 0	100 0	9 0	9 0	9 0	4 4	4 4	4 0	Lohardugga.
...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	24 0	180 0	180 0	180 0	9 0	8 0	8 0	4 0	4 7	4 7	Singbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 4	16 0	16 0	240 0	240 0	120 0	Z9 10 10	10 10	10 0	...	3 10	3 7	Manbhoom.

* New.

Z2 In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 9 to 14 seers per rupee.
Z3 In the sub-division of Begusarai the retail price of salt was 11 seers per rupee.
Z4 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Banka 12½ seers, Madhupura 10½ seers, and Soopole 11 seers.
Z5 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kissengunge 10 seers, and Ranegunge in Arrareah sub-division 12 seers.
Z6 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Deoghur 13 seers, Godda 11 seers, and Rajmehal 12 seers.
Z7 The retail price of salt at Bhuddrack was 8 seers per rupee.
Z8 The retail price of salt at Chattra was 11 seers and at Kharagdiha 11½ seers per rupee.
Z9 In the sub-division of Goviudpore the retail price of salt was 11 seers per rupee.

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Calcutta Statistical Branch Calcutta 24/9

PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD, AND SALT IN THE DISTRICTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 30TH SEPTEMBER 1884.

PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood and Salt in the

RETAIL SALE:—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY

Number.	DISTRICTS.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice, best sort.			Rice, common.			Bulrush Millet Cumboo, Bajra.			Great Millet—Cholum Jowar.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL.																		
	Western Districts.																		
		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
1	Burdwan ...	14 4	14 8	13 4	22 0	22 0	25 0	12 0	12 0	17 8	15 0	14 4	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
2	Bankoora ...	15 8	15 0	13 0	17 0	16 0	14 0	13 12	13 0	19 0	15 8	14 8	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	Beerbhoom ...	16 8	16 8	15 12	...	...	...	11 8	12 0	16 8	14 0	14 0	22 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
4	Midnapore* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5	Hooghly ...	16 0	15 0	13 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	9 0	12 8	12 8	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Howrah ...	14 8	14 8	13 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 4	14 0	13 0	13 4	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Central Districts.																		
	Calcutta ...	17 10	17 10	15 5	26 10	26 12	20 0	8 6	8 6	11 8	10 8	10 12	16 0	11 8	11 8	21 5	11 7	11 7	20 10
6	24-Pergunnahs* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
7	Nuddea ...	16 0	16 0	14 8	20 0	20 0	24 10	11 2	11 3½	15 4	12 0	12 0	18 4½	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Khoolna ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	12 8	16 0	16 0	17 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Jessore ...	14 0	14 0	11 8	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	16 0	15 0	16 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
10	Moorshedabad ...	18 0	18 8	16 12	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	16 0	13 0	13 0	21 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
11	Dinagepore ...	16 12	14 0	16 0	17 0	17 8	16 0	12 0	12 0	19 0	13 0	13 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
12	Rajshahye ...	17 0	16 8 to 19 8	16 0	24 0	24 0	29 0	11 8	9 0 to 13 8	15 0	15 0	15 0	17 0 to 18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
13	Rungpore ...	18 0	18 0	13 5	...	...	...	10 0	9 6	13 5	11 10	11 10	19 0		...	...	...	...	...
14	Bogra ...	17 1	16 2	18 0	...	...	...	9 15	9 12	12 0	12 0	13 8	22 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
15	Pubna ...	19 8	19 8	18 12	...	...	...	7 14	8 4	8 4	12 12	13 8	17 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
16	Darjeeling ...	10 0	...	8 0	10 0	...	8 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	10 0	11 0	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
17	Julpigoree ...	10 0	10 0	10 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	11 0	11 0	12 8	16 0	...	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Eastern Districts.																		
18	Dacca ...	16 0	16 0	13 8	...	23 0	22 10	8 0	11 10	16 0	11 0	14 0	17 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
19	Furreedpore ...	20 0	20 0	21 0	34 0	34 0	30 0	11 0	12 0	18 0	12 0	13 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
20	Backergunge ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	18 0	16 0	16 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
21	Mymensingh ...	12 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	13 4	11 8	13 8	18 12	...	...	...	...	...	...

* Not received.

A In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Culna 14 seers, Cutwa 12 seers, and Ranegunge 13½ seers.
B In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 11 to 16 seers per rupee.
C In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 11½ to 13½ seers per rupee.
D In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Serampore 14 seers and Jehanabad 13½ seers.
E In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kooshtea 13 seers, Kanaghat 12½ seers, Meherpore 12 seers, and Choondanga 11½ seers.
F In Bajirhat sub-division the retail price of salt was 11 seers per rupee.
G In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Jhenidah and Nalail 12 seers, and Bongong 13 seers.
H In the sub-divisions the retail price of salt at Jungypore and Kandhi was 12 seers per rupee.

Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 30th September 1884.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 seers. Salt.			DISTRICTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		BENGAL.
																		Western Districts.
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 8	19 0	21 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	A 13 10	13 0	13 3	2-14-9	2-14-8	2-15-4	Burdwan.
...	...	...	27 0	24 0	35 0	17 8	17 8	17 8	240 0	240 0	240 0	B 12 12	13 0	12 0	3 3	3-2-6	3-3-6	Bankoora.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 4	18 12	21 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	C 12 0	12 0	12 0	3-2-6	3-2-6	3-2-9	Beerbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Midnapore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	17 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	D 13 9	13 9	13 9	2 14	2 14	2 14	Hooghly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 8	17 8	17 12	80 0	80 0	80 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	3 0	3 0	3 0	Howrah.
																		Central Districts.
...	...	...	21 8	21 8	26 10	19 11	22 0	20 0	100 0	100 0	90 0	12 13	12 14	13 5	2 12	2-11-6	2 12	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24-Pergunnahs.
...	...	...	...	...	...	21 5½	21 5½	18 13	...	...	...	E 12 12	11 10½	11 10½	3 0	...	3 0	Nuddea.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	220 0	200 0	180 0	F 12 0	12 0	10 8	3 2	3 2	3 4	Khoolna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	18 0	16 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	G 10 12	10 12	10 12	3 1	3 2	3 2	Jessore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	21 0	21 0	20 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	H 12 0	12 0	13 0	3-1-3	3 3	3 0	Moorshedabad.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	17 0	20 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	I 11 0	12 8	11 8	3 2	3 2	3 6	Dinagepore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	21 0	21 0	19 8	240 0	240 0	240 0	J 12 12	12 12	12 0	3 0	3 0	3-1-3	Rajshahye.
...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	15 4	17 3	100 0	100 0	110 0	K 11 14	11 14	11 14	3 5	3 5	3 5	Rungpore
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 1	18 0	16 6	80 0	75 0	62 8	12 0	12 0	12 0	3-5-4	3-5-4	3-3-8	Bogra.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 4	17 4	18 12	200 0	200 0	200 0	L 12 6	12 6	12 0	3 1	3-1-6	3-2-6	Pubna.
16 0	12 0	12 0	24 0	25 0	23 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	102 8	102 8	128 0	M 8 0	8 0	8 0	4 8	4 8	4 8	Darjeeling.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	128 0	128 0	128 0	12 4	12 4	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Julpigoree.
																		Eastern Districts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	19 0	90 0	110 0	99 0	N 13 0	13 0	13 5	3 0	3 0	3 0	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	20 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	O 12 0	12 0	12 0	3 2	3 2	3 5	Furreedpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	P 13 0	13 0	13 0	3 0	...	2 11	Backergunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 8	14 8	15 0	...	...	...	Q 12 8	12 4	12 4	3 2	3 2	3 4	Mymensingh.

I In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Nithpore 12 seers and Raigunge 11½ seers.
J In the sub-divisions the retail price of salt at Nattore and Nowgong was 12 seers per rupee.
K In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Gaibanda and Kurigram 13 seers, and Nilphamari 12 seers.
L The retail price of salt at Serajgunge was 13 seers per rupee.
M The retail price of salt in Kurseong was 8 seers per rupee, and in Silliguri 10 seers per rupee.
N In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Manickgunge 12 seers, Naraingunge 13 seers, and Moonshigunge 10 seers 10⅔ chittacks.
O In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Goalundo 13 seers, and Madaripur 12 seers.
P In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Patuakhali 10⅔ seers, and Perozepore 11 seers.
Q In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kishoregunge 10⅔ seers, Attia 12 seers, and Jamalpore 11½ seers.

PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood and Salt in the

RETAIL SALE :—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY THE

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM JOWAR.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	Eastern Districts.—Concluded.																		
		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
22	Chittagong ...	15 0	15 0	11 4	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
23	Noakholly ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	13 0	19 0	17 0	14 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
24	Tipperah ...	13 5	13 5	11 12	...	...	...	12 12	12 12	17 0	16 0	16 0	20 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
25	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 6	13 5	13 0	13 5	16 0	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah	12 0	12 0	10 0	...	...	...	14 0	12 0	16 0	16 0	14 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	BEHAR.																		
26	Patna ...	21 0	21 0	21 0	25 0	25 0	29 0	11 4	11 4	15 0	12 0	12 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
27	Gya ...	17 8	18 0	17 8	21 8	21 0	23 0	9 4	9 0	12 0	11 4	11 4	16 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
28	Shahabad* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
29	Durbhunga* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
30	Mozufferpore* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
31	Sarun ...	19 8	19 0	17 0	25 0	25 0	28 0	8 0	8 0	10 0	12 4	12 0	17 8	...	...	...	26 0	24 0	29 0
32	Chumparun* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
33	Monghyr ...	19 0	18 14	17 13	21 0	21 0	27 12	9 8	9 7	13 10	10 8	10 8	16 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
34	Bhagulpore* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
35	Purneah ...	...	16 0	19 0	...	...	...	11 0	12 0	15 0	15 0	13 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
36	Maldah ...	20 0	20 0	18 0	...	...	...	9 0	11 0	15 0	12 0	14 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
37	Sonthal Pergs.	18 0	16 0	13 9	...	...	...	12 0	11 0	17 8	14 0	14 8	23 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	ORISSA.																		
38	Cuttack ...	18 6	18 6	13 2	...	...	...	13 2	13 2	13 2	18 6†	18 6	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
39	Pooree ...	13 2	14 7	11 13	...	...	...	17 2	13 12	21 0	18 3	15 1	23 10	...	...	...	...	...	...
40	Balasore ...	16 0	16 0	16 0	11 0	11 0	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	19 0	19 0	28 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*																		
41	Hazareebagh ...	14 0	13 8	15 0	15 8	15 0	24 0	11 0	10 8	10 0	12 0	11 12	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
42	Lohardugga ...	12 0	12 0	16 0	...	...	20 0	12 0	12 0	16 0	18 0	14 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
43	Singbhoom ...	18 0	18 0	18 0	22 0	22 0	24 0	20 0	20 0	32 0	24 0	24 0	36 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
44	Manbhoom* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

* Not received. † In the interior price of rice ranged from 19 to 26½ seers per rupee.

R The retail price of salt in the interior ranged from 9 to 12 seers per rupee.
S The retail price of salt at Brahmanbariah and Chandpore was 12½ seers per rupee.
T In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Nowada 10 seers, and Aurungabad 12 seers.
U In the sub-divisions the retail price of salt per rupee at Sewan and Gopalgunge was 12 seers.

CALCUTTA,
The 7th October 1884.

SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 seers. Salt.			DISTRICTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		Eastern Districts.—(Concluded.
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	14 0	13 0	120 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 12	...	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...	R 10 0	10 0	10 0	3 2	3 6	3 2	Noakholly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	18 0	...	...	...	S 12 8	12 8	12 4	3 2	3 2	3 2	Tipperah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	320 0	320 0	320 0	6 6	6 6	6 4	5 0	5 8	6 0	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	14 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Hill Tipperah.
																		BEHAR.
...	...	...	30 0	30 0	32 0	24 0	24 0	28 0	100 0	100 0	130 0	10 8	10 8	9 12	3 2	3 2	3-1-6	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	22 0	22 0	21 0	220 0	220 0	160 0	T 11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 5	Gya.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Shahabad.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Durbhunga.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mozufferpore.
24 0	24 0	30 0	21 8	23 8	30 0	21 4	21 0	26 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	U 11 0	11 0	11 0	3 6	3 3	3 4	Sarun.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chumparun.
...	...	...	30 8	31 8	42 0	21 12	23 1	25 3	126 0	126 0	160 0	V 12 4	12 9	12 1	2-14-6	2-14-6	3-2-4½	Monghyr.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Bhagulpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 0	18 0	19 0	162 0	160 0	160 0	W 10 12	10 12	9 0	3 13	3-13-6	4 0	Purneah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 0	20 0	21 0	160 0	200 0	160 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3-2-6	3-2-6	3 2	Maldah.
...	...	...	40 0	...	28 0	19 0	18 0	18 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	X 11 0	11 12	10 0	3 7	3-4-6	3 12	Sonthal Pergns.
																		ORISSA.
15 12	15 12	15 12	...	...	...	21 0	21 0	18 6	80 0	80 0	80 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	2 12	2 12	2 12	Cuttack.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 2	18 6	17 1	105 0	105 0	120 0	16 0	...	13 0	2 7	...	2 12	Pooree.
...	...	...	...	...	..	13 0	16 0	16 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	Y 10 8	10 12	9 3	3 6	3 6	4 2	Balasore.
																		CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*
36 0	27 0	30 0	30 0	32 0	27 0	17 0	17 0	20 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	10 0	10 0	10 8	3 11	3 11	3 7	Hazareebagh.
24 0	24 0	26 0	32 0	32 0	32 0	13 0	12 0	15 0	120 0	120 0	100 0	8 0	9 0	9 0	4 12	4 4	4 0	Lohardugga.
...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	24 0	160 0	180 0	180 0	9 0	9 0	8 0	4 0	4 0	4 7	Singbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Manbhoom.

V In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Begusarai 11 seers, Jamui 11½ seers.
W The retail price of salt in the Kissengunge sub-division was 10 seers per rupee.
X In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Rajmehal 12 seers, and Godda 11 seers.
Y The retail price of salt at Bhuddrack was 8½ seers per rupee.

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PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD, AND SALT IN THE DISTRICTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 30TH SEPTEMBER 1884.

RETAIL SALE:—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY

Number.	DISTRICTS.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice, best sort.			Rice, common.			Bulrush Millet Cumboo, Bajra.			Great Millet—Cholum Jowar.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL.																		
	Western Districts.																		
		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
1	Burdwan ...	14 4	14 8	13 4	22 0	22 0	25 0	12 0	12 0	17 8	15 0	14 4	26 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
2	Bankoora ...	15 8	15 0	13 0	17 0	16 0	14 0	13 12	13 0	19 0	15 8	14 8	25 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	Peerbhoom ...	16 8	16 8	15 12	...	...	...	11 8	12 0	16 8	14 0	14 0	22 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
4	Midnapore ...	12 0	12 0	14 0	20 0	20 0	17 0	14 0	15 0	17 0	18 0	18 0	24 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
5	Hooghly ...	16 0	15 0	13 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	9 0	12 8	12 8	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Howrah ...	14 8	14 8	13 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 4	14 0	13 0	13 4	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Central Districts.																		
	Calcutta ..	17 10	17 10	15 5	26 10	26 12	20 0	8 6	8 6	11 8	10 8	10 13	16 0	11 8	11 8	21 5	11 7	11 7	20 10
6	24-Pergunnahs ...	14 0	14 0	12 12	17 8	17 8	18 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	12 4	14 8	13 5	...	...	...	...	...	...
7	Nuddea ...	16 0	16 0	14 8	20 0	20 0	24 10	11 2	11 3½	15 4	12 0	12 0	18 4½	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Khoolna ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	12 8	16 0	16 0	17 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Jessore ...	14 0	14 0	11 8	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	16 0	15 0	16 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
10	Moorshedabad ...	18 0	18 8	16 12	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	16 0	13 0	13 0	21 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
11	Dinagepore ..	16 12	14 0	16 0	17 0	17 8	16 0	12 0	12 0	19 0	13 0	13 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
12	Rajshahye ...	17 0	{16 8 to 19 8}	16 0	24 0	24 0	29 0	11 8	{9 0 to 13 8}	15 0	15 0	15 0	{17 0 to 18 0}	...	...	...	...	...	...
13	Rungpore ...	18 0	18 0	13 5	...	...	...	10 0	9 6	13 5	11 10	11 10	19 0		...	...	...	...	...
14	Bogra ...	17 1	16 2	18 0	...	...	...	9 15	9 12	13 0	12 0	13 8	22 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
15	Pubna ...	19 8	19 8	18 12	...	...	...	7 14	8 4	8 4	12 12	13 8	17 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
16	Darjeeling ...	10 0	...	8 0	10 0	...	8 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	10 0	11 0	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
17	Julpigoree ...	10 0	10 0	10 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	11 0	11 0	12 8	16 0	...	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Eastern Districts.																		
18	Dacca ...	16 0	16 0	13 8	...	23 0	22 10	8 0	11 10	16 0	11 0	14 0	17 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
19	Furreedpore ...	20 0	20 0	21 0	34 0	34 0	30 0	11 0	12 0	18 0	12 0	13 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
20	Backergunge ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	18 0	16 0	16 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
21	Mymensingh ...	12 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	13 4	11 8	13 8	18 12	...	...	...	...	...	...

A In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Culna 14 seers, Cutwa 12 seers, and Ranseegunge 13½ seers.
B In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 11 to 16 seers per rupee.
C In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 11½ to 13½ seers per rupee.
C1 In the sub divisions the retail price of salt per rupee were:—Ghattal 14½ seers, and Contai 12½ seers.
D In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Serampore 14 seers and Jehanabad 13½ seers.
D1 In the sub divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Barasat and Bussirhat 13 seers, Barrackpore 12½ seers, and Dum-Dum 12 seers.
E In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Koushiea 13 seers, Ranaghat 12½ seers, Meherpore 12 seers, and Chooadanga 11½ seers.
F In Bagirhat sub-division the retail price of salt was 11 seers per rupee.
G In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Jhenidah and Nagail 12 seers, and Bongong 13 seers.
H In the sub-divisions the retail price of salt at Jungypore and Kandhi was 12 seers per rupee.

Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 30th September 1884.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.																WHOLESALE PRICES PER MAUND OF 40 SEERS.			
LESSER MILLET—RAGI OR MURWA AND CHEENA.			MAIZE OR INDIAN-CORN.			GRAM.			FIREWOOD.			SALT.				SALT.			
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	DISTRICTS.
																			BENGAL.
																			Western Districts.
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.		Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
...	...	..	...	...	...	18 8	19 0	21 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	A 13 10	13 0	13 3		2-14-9	2-14-8	2-15-4	Burdwan.
...	...	..	27 0	24 0	35 0	17 8	17 8	17 8	240 0	240 0	240 0	B 12 12	13 0	12 0		3 3	3-2-6	3-3-6	Bankoora.
...	...	...	...	...		18 4	18 12	21 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	C 12 0	12 0	12 0		3-2-6	3-2-6	3-2-9	Beerbhoom.
...	..	..	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	155 0	155 0	155 0	C1 12 12	12 12	12 8		3-0 3	3-0-3	2 14	Midnapore.
...	...	..	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	17 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	D 13 9	13 9	13 9		2 14	2 14	2 14	Hooghly.
...	...	.	...	...	...	16 8	17 8	17 12	80 0	80 0	80 0	13 0	13 0	13 0		3 0	3 0	3 0	Howrah.
																			Central Districts.
...	...	...	21 8	21 8	26 10	19 11	22 0	20 0	100 0	100 0	90 0	12 13	12 14	13 5		2 12	2-11-6	2 12	Calcutta.
...	...	...	16 0	...	18 0	17 8	17 8	18 0	90 0	90 0	80 0	D1 12 13	12 13	12 13		3 0	3 0	3 0	24-Pergunnahs.
...	...	...	..	...	...	21 5½	21 5½	18 13	...	..	...	E 12 12	11 10½	11 10½		3 0	...	3 0	Nuddea.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	220 0	200 0	180 0	F 12 0	12 0	10 8		3 2	3 2	3 4	Khoolna.
...	...	..	...	...	...	16 0	18 0	16 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	G 10 12	10 12	10 12		3 1	3 2	3 2	Jessore.
...	.	..	...	...	..	21 0	21 0	20 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	H 12 0	12 0	13 0		3-1-3	3 3	3 0	Moorsheedabad.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	17 0	20 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	I 11 0	12 8	11 8		3 8	3 2	3 6	Dinagepore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	21 0	21 0	19 8	240 0	240 0	240 0	J 12 12	12 12	12 0		3 0	3 0	3-1-3	Rajshahye.
.	..	...	...	...	...	20 0	15 4	17 3	100 0	100 0	110 0	K 11 14	11 14	11 14		3 5	3 5	3 5	Rungpore
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 1	18 0	16 6	80 0	75 0	62 8	12 0	12 0	12 0		3-5-4	3-5-4	3-2-8	Bogra.
..	...	...	...	...	...	17 4	17 4	18 12	200 0	200 0	200 0	L 12 6	12 6	12 0		3 1	3-1-6	3-2-6	Pubna.
16 0	12 0	12 0	24 0	25 0	23 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	102 8	102 8	128 0	M 8 0	8 0	8 0		4 8	4 8	4 8	Darjeeling.
	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	128 0	128 0	128 0	12 4	12 4	12 0		3 4	3 4	3 4	Julpigoree.
																			Eastern Districts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	19 0	90 0	110 0	99 0	N 13 0	13 0	13 5		3 0	3 0	3 0	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	20 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	O 12 0	12 0	12 0		3 2	3 2	3 5	Furreedpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	P 13 0	13 0	13 0		2-11 0	2-11	2 11	Backergunge.
...	..	...	...	...	..	14 8	14 8	15 0	...	...	..	Q 12 8	12 4	12 4		3 2	3 2	3 4	Mymensingh.

I In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Nithpore 12 seers and Raigunge 11½ seers.
J In the sub-divisions the retail price of salt at Nattore and Nowgong was 12 seers per rupee.
K In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Gaibanda and Kurigram 13 seers, and Nilphamari 12 seers.
L The retail price of salt at Serajgunge was 13 seers per rupee.
M The retail price of salt in Kurseong was 8 seers per rupee, and in Silliguri 10 seers per rupee.
N In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Manickgunge 12 seers, Narainguage 13 seers, and Moonshigunge 10 seers 10⅔ chittacks.
O In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Goalundo 13 seers, and Madaripur 12 seers.
P In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Patuakhali 10⅔ seers, and Perozepore 11 seers.
Q In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kishoregunge 10⅔ seers, Attia 12 seers, and Jamalpore 11½ seers.

RETAIL SALE :—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY THE

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO. BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM JOWAR.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	Eastern Districts.—Concluded.																		
		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
22	Chittagong ...	15 0	15 0	11 4	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
23	Noakholly ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	13 0	19 0	17 0	14 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
24	Tipperah ...	13 5	13 5	11 12	...	...	...	12 12	12 12	17 0	16 0	16 0	20 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
25	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 6	13 5	13 0	13 5	16 0	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah	12 0	12 0	10 0	...	...	...	14 0	12 0	16 0	16 0	14 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	BEHAR.																		
26	Patna ...	21 0	21 0	21 0	25 0	25 0	29 0	11 4	11 4	15 0	12 0	12 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
27	Gya ...	17 8	18 0	17 8	21 8	21 0	23 0	9 4	9 0	12 0	11 4	11 4	16 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
28	Shahabad ...	18 0	19 0	16½ 17	22 0	19 0	24 0	9 0	8 0	11 0 to 12 0	13 0	12 8	16 0 to 18 0	20 0	20 0	26 0	...	...	...
29	Durbhunga ...	17 10	17 9	14 0	20 15	20 15	24 0	9 5	9 15	14 0	12 1	13 3	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
30	Mozufferpore ...	17 0	17 0	17 0	26 0	26 0	30 0	11 0	9 0	10 0	13 0	13 0	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
31	Sarun ...	19 8	19 0	17 0	25 0	25 0	28 0	8 0	8 0	10 0	12 4	12 0	17 8	...	...	...	26 0	24 0	29 0
32	Chumparun ...	14 0	15 0	19 0	21 0	...	31 0	11 0	11 0	14 0	15 8	14 8	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
33	Monghyr ...	19 0	18 14	17 13	21 0	21 0	27 12	9 8	9 7	13 10	10 8	10 8	16 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
34	Bhagulpore ...	18 15	18 4	15 2	18 15	20 3	25 4	10 1	10 1	15 10	12 10	12 10	18 7	...	...	...	...	...	...
35	Purneah ...	...	16 0	19 0	...	...	...	11 0	12 0	15 0	15 0	13 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
36	Maldah ...	20 0	20 0	18 0	...	...	...	9 0	11 0	15 0	12 0	14 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
37	Southal Pergs.	18 0	16 0	13 9	...	...	...	12 0	11 0	17 8	14 0	14 8	23 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	ORISSA.																		
38	Cuttack ...	18 6	18 6	13 2	...	...	...	13 2	13 2	13 2	18 6†	18 6	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
39	Pooree ...	13 2	14 7	11 13	...	...	...	17 2	13 12	21 0	18 3	15 1	23 10	...	...	...	...	...	...
40	Balasore ...	16 0	16 0	16 0	11 0	11 0	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	19 0	19 0	28 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE *South-Western Frontier Agency.*																		
41	Hazareebagh ...	14 0	13 8	15 0	15 8	15 0	24 0	11 0	10 8	10 0	12 0	11 12	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
42	Lohardugga ...	12 0	12 0	16 0	...	...	20 0	12 0	12 0	16 0	18 0	14 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
43	Singbhoom ...	18 0	18 0	18 0	22 0	22 0	24 0	20 0	20 0	32 0	24 0	24 0	36 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
44	Manbhoom ...	13 0	13 0	13 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	17 0	20 0	19 0	27 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

* In the interior price of rice ranged from 19 to 26¼ seers per rupee.

R The retail price of salt in the interior ranged from 9 to 12 seers per rupee.

S The retail price of salt at Brahmanbariah and Chandpore was 12½ seers per rupee.

T In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Nowada 10 seers, and Aurungabad 12 seers.

T1 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Buxar 12 seers, and Bhabbhua 11 seers.

T2 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Tajpore 11½ seers, and Madhubani 11 seers.

T3 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Seetamarhi 11 seers, and Hajipore 12½ seers.

Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 30th September 1884.—(Concld.)

SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Kaei or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 seers. Salt.			DISTRICTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		Eastern Districts.—(Concluded.
S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	14 0	13 0	120 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	4 12	...	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...	R 10 0	10 0	10 0	3 2	3 6	3 2	Noakholly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	S 12 8	12 8	12 4	3 2	3 2	3 2	Tipperah.
...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	320 0	320 0	320 0	6 6	6 6	6 4	5 0	5 8	6 0	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	14 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Hill Tipperah.
																		BEHAR.
...	...	...	30 0	30 0	32 0	24 0	24 0	28 0	100 0	100 0	130 0	10 8	10 8	9 12	3 2	3 2	3-1-6	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	22 0	22 0	21 0	220 0	220 0	160 0	T 11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 5	Gya.
...	...	...	...	...	...	22 0	22 8	25 0	140 0	140 0	120 0	T1 12 0	12 0	12 8	3 1	3 1	3 1	Shahabad.
24 3	25 5	30 0	26 5	27 8	35 0	20 15	22 0	22 8	176 0	176 0	180 0	T2 12 7	12 1	10 0	3-3-3	3-3-3	3 10	Durbhunga.
...	...	...	32 8	26 0	30 0	20 0	20 0	22 0	140 0	140 0	140 0	T3 12 8	12 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Mozufferpore.
24 0	24 0	30 0	27 8	28 8	30 0	21 4	21 0	26 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	U 11 0	11 0	11 0	3 6	3 3	3 4	Sarun.
...	...	...	31 0	26 0	30 0	16 0	17 0	24 0	...	...	...	U1 12 0	12 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 6	Chumparun.
...	...	...	30 8	31 8	42 0	21 12	23 1	25 3	126 0	126 0	160 0	V 12 4	12 9	12 1	2-14-6	2-14-6	3-2-4½	Monghyr.
...	...	...	26 8	30 6	35 5	21 7	22 1	22 11	151 8	151 8	151 14	V1 12 10	12 10	12 10	3 0	3 0	3 0	Bhagulpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 0	18 0	19 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	W 10 12	10 12	9 0	3 13	3-13-6	4 0	Purneah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 0	20 0	21 0	160 0	200 0	160 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3-2-6	3-2-6	3 2	Maldah.
...	...	...	40 0	...	28 0	19 0	18 0	18 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	X 11 0	11 12	10 0	3 7	3-4-6	3 12	Sonthal Pergns.
																		ORISSA.
15 12	15 12	15 12	...	...	...	21 0	21 0	18 6	80 0	80 0	80 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	2 12	2 12	2 12	Cuttack.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 2	18 6	17 1	105 0	105 0	120 0	16 0	...	13 0	2 7	...	2 12	Pooree.
...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	16 0	16 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	Y 10 8	10 12	9 3	3 6	3 6	4 2	Balasore.
																		CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*
36 0	27 0	30 0	30 0	32 0	27 0	17 0	17 0	20 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	10 0	10 0	10 8	3 11	3 11	3 7	Hazareebagh.
24 0	24 0	28 0	32 0	32 0	32 0	13 0	12 0	15 0	120 0	120 0	100 0	8 0	9 0	9 0	4 12	4 4	4 0	Lohardugga.
...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	24 0	160 0	180 0	180 0	9 0	9 0	8 0	4 0	4 0	4 7	Singbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	16 4	15 0	240 0	240 0	120 0	11 12	10 10	10 12	3 6	3 4	3 9	Manbhoom.

U In the sub-divisions the retail price of salt per rupee at Sewan and Gopalgunge was 12 seers.
U1 In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 10 to 13 seers per rupee.
V In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Begusarai 11 seers, Jamui 11½ seers.
V1 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Banka 12 seers, Madhupura 10½ seers, and Soopole 13 seers.
W The retail price of salt in the Kissengunge sub-division was 10 seers per rupee.
X In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Rajmehal 12 seers, and Godda 11 seers.
Y The retail price of salt at Bhuddrack was 8½ seers per rupee.

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PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD, AND SALT IN THE DISTRICTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 15TH OCTOBER 1864.

PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood and Salt in the

RETAIL SALE:—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM JOWAR.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL.																		
	Western Districts.	S. Ch.	S Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S.Ch.
1	Burdwan ...	15 0	14 4	13 8	22 0	22 0	25 0	12 0	12 0	15 0	16 8	15 0	20 0	...	.	..	...	...	...
2	Bankoora ...	15 8	15 8	14 0	17 0	17 0	12 0	13 12	13 12	14 0	16 0	15 8	16 12	.	...	...	...	...	...
3	Beerbhoom ...	16 8	16 8	15 8	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	18 0	13 8	14 0	22 8	...	..	..	..	...	...
4	Midnapore ...	12 0	12 0	13 0	20 0	20 0	17 0	14 0	14 0	16 0	17 0	18 0	22 0	...	..	...	...	...	...
5	Hooghly ...	16 0	16 0	13 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	9 0	12 8	12 8	18 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
	Howrah ...	15 0	14 8	13 4	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	13 8	12 12	13 0	18 8	...	...	..	...	...	...
	Central Districts.																		
	Calcutta ..	17 10	17 10	16 0	20 0	26 10	20 10	8 6	8 6	11 8	10 8	10 8	16 0	11 8	11 8	23 0	11 7	11 7	21 6
6	24-Pergunnahs ...	14 0	14 0	13 5	17 8	17 8	17 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	14 0	12 4	13 5	...	...	...	...	...	...
7	Nuddea ...	16 0	16 0	14 8	20 0	20 0	24 10	10 1½	11 2	15 4	11 6	12 0	18 4½	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Khoolna .	...	...	...	..	...	...	14 0	13 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Jessore ...	14 0	14 0	10 0	...	...	...	11 0	12 0	16 0	14 0	15 0	20 0	...	.	..	...	...	...
10	Moorshedabad ...	18 0	18 0	16 0	...	...	...	11 0	10 0	15 0	14 8	13 0	20 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
11	Dinagepore ..	16 0	16 12	16 0	16 8	17 0	14 8	10 8	12 0	19 0	13 4	13 0	21 0	..	...	..	..	...	...
12	Rajshahye ...	16 8 to 17 4	17 0	16 0	22 8	24 0	29 0	8 10 to 10 14	11 8	13 8	11 4 to 12 0	15 0	14 8	...	...	.		.	...
13	Rungpore ...	16 0	18 0	13 5	...	...	...	9 7	10 0	13 5	10 11	11 10	19 0		...	..	...	...	...
14	Bogra ...	15 0	17 1	18 0	...	...	...	9 15	9 15	9 12	12 0	12 0	12 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
15	Pubna ...	19 8	19 8	18 0	...	...	...	8 4	7 14	8 4	12 12	12 12	17 4	...	...	..	...	...	...
16	Darjeeling ...	10 0	10 0	7 0	10 0	10 0	7 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	10 0	10 0	12 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
17	Julpigoree ...	10 0	10 0	10 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	8 0	11 0	13 4	11 8	16 0	18 0	...	...	...	..	...	...
	Eastern Districts.																		
18	Dacca ...	16 0	16 0	14 4	18 0	...	18 0	10 10	8 0	14 8	13 0	11 0	17 0	...	...	...	..	...	...
19	Furreedpore ...	20 0	20 0	21 0	34 0	34 0	30 0	11 0	11 0	13 0	12 0	12 0	20 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
20	Backergunge ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	19 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
21	Mymensingh ...	13 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	13 4	11 8	11 8	16 0	...	...	..	...	...	...

A In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Culna 14 seers, Cutwa 12 seers, and Raneegunge 13½ seers.
B In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 11 to 16 seers per rupee.
C In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 11 to 13½ seers per rupee.
D In the sub division of Contai the retail price of salt was 12½ seers per rupee.
E In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Serampore 14 seers and Jehanabad 13½ seers.
F In the sub divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Baraset and Busurhat 13 seers, Barrackpore 12¾ seers, and Dum-Dum 12 seers.
G In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kooshtea 13 seers, Meherpore and Chooadanga 12 seers, and Ranaghat 12½ seers.
H In the sub-division of Bigirhat the retail price of salt was 11 seers per rupee.
I In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Jhenidah and Nagail 12 seers, Magurah 10¾ seers, and Bongong 13 seers.
J In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Lalbagh 11 seers, and Jungypore and Kandi 12 seers.

Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 15th October 1884.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 seers. Salt.			DISTRICTS
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		BENGAL.
																		Western Districts
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 0	18 8	21 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 0	13 10	13 2	A 2-14-8	2-14-9	2-15-8	Burdwan.
...	...	...	30 0	27 0	38 0	17 8	17 8	17 4	240 0	240 0	240 0	12 8	12 12	12 0	B 3 3	3 3	3-3-6	Bankoora.
...	...	...	...	...	..	18 0	18 4	20 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	C 3-2-6	3-2-6	3-1-3	Beerbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	165 0	165 0	165 0	12 12	12 12	12 12	D 3-0 3	3-0-3	2 14	Midnapore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	17 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 9	13 9	13 9	E 2 14	2 14	2 14	Hooghly.
...	...	..	...	...	...	17 0	16 8	17 0	80 0	80 0	80 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	3 0	3 0	3 0	Howrah.
																		Central Districts.
...	...	...	21 8	21 8	26 10	19 11	19 11	20 0	100 0	100 0	90 0	12 13	12 13	13 5	2 12	2 12	2 12	Calcutta.
...	...	...	20 0	16 0	22 8	17 8	17 8	17 8	100 0	90 0	90 0	13 5	12 13	12 13	F 2 12	3 0	3 0	24-Pergunnahs.
...	...	...	..	..	...	21 5½	21 5½	18 13	...	..	...	12 12	12 12	11 10½	G 3 0	3 0	3 0	Nuddea.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	200 0	220 0	180 0	12 0	12 0	10 8	H 3 2	3 2	3 4	Khoolna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	10 12	10 12	10 12	I 3 2	3 1	3 2	Jessore.
...	.		...	...	..	20 0	21 0	20 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	12 0	12 0	13 0	J 3-1-3	3-1-3	3 0	Moorshedabad.
...	...	.	...	...	...	14 0	16 0	17 12	160 0	160 0	180 0	...	11 0	11 8	K 3-8	3 8	3 6	Dinagepore.
...	...	..	...	...	...	20 11	21 0	19 8	240 0	240 0	240 0	12 0	12 12	12 12	L 3 0	3 0	3-1-3	Rajshahye.
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	20 0	17 3	110 0	100 0	110 0	11 14	11 14	11 14	M 3 5	3 5	3 5	Rungpore
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 4	17 1	16 8	80 0	80 0	62 8	10 8	12 0	12 0	3-5-4	3-5-4	3-2-3	Bogra.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 4	17 4	18 13	200 0	200 0	200 0	12 6	12 6	12 0	N 3-1 6	3 1	3-2-6	Pubna.
14 0	16 0	12 0	20 0	24 0	22 0	10 0	10 0	8 0	102 8	102 8	126 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	O 4 0	4 8	4 8	Darjeeling.
..	..	..	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	128 0	128 0	128 0	12 4	12 4	12 4	P 3 4	3 4	3 4	Julpigoree.
																		Eastern Districts.
...	..	...	...	..	...	17 0	16 0	19 8	90 0	90 0	90 0	13 0	13 0	13 5	Q 3 1	3 0	3 0	Dacca.
...	...	..	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	20 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	R 3 2	3 2	3 5	Furreedpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	S 2 11	2 11	2 11	Backergunge.
...	..	...	...	...	..	14 8	14 8	15 0	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	...	T 3 2	3 2	3 4	Mymensingh.

K The retail price of salt at Raigunge and Nithpore was 11¼ seers per rupee.
L In the sub-division of Nattore the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.
M In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Gaibanda and Kurigram 13 seers, and Nilphamari 12 seers.
N In the sub-division of Serajgunge the retail price of salt was 13 seers per rupee.
O The retail price of salt at Kurseong was 8 seers per rupee, and at Silliguri 10 seers per rupee.
P The retail price of salt at Fallacotta in Alipur sub-division was 10 seers per rupee.
Q In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Munickgunge 13 seers, Moonshigunge 10 seers 10⅞ chittacks, and Naraingunge 13$\frac{5}{16}$ seers.
R In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Goalundo 13 seers, and Madaripur 12 seers
S In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Patuakhali 10⅞ seers, and Perozepore 11 seers.
T In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Kisheregunge 10⅞ seers, Attia 13 seers, and Jamalpore 11¼ seers.

RETAIL SALE :—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY THE

Number.	DISTRICTS.	Wheat			Barley.			Rice, best sort.			Rice, common.			Bulrush Millet—Cumboo, Bajra.			Great Millet—Cholum Jowar.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	Eastern Districts.—Concluded.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
22	Chittagong ...	15 0	15 0	11 8	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	13 8	17 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
23	Noakholly ...	...	...	...	...	...	..	13 0	14 0	19 0	14 0	17 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
24	Tipperah ...	15 4	13 5	11 12	...	...	...	11 7	12 12	18 12	13 1	16 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
25	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 6	11 6	13 0	12 5	13 5	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah	12 0	12 0	10 0	...	...	...	12 0	14 0	18 0	14 0	16 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	BEHAR.																		
26	Patna ...	21 0	21 0	21 0	25 0	25 0	29 0	11 4	11 4	15 0	12 0	12 0	18 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
27	Gya ...	19 0	17 8	17 0	20 8	21 8	23 0	8 8	9 4	11 0	11 8	11 4	14 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
28	Shahabad† ...	18-0 ...	18-0 ...	16-0 18-0	20-0 ...	22-0 ...	24-0 ...	8-0 ...	9-0 ...	10-0 11-0	12-0 ...	13-0 ...	14-0 15-8	24-0 ...	20-0 ...	24-0 ...	...	...	...
29	Durbhunga† ...	18-2	17-0	13-0	20-5	20-15	22-0	9-15	9-5	12-0	13-3	12-1	14-0	...	...	...	...	...	...
30	Mozufferpore ...	18 0	17 0	17 0	26 0	26 0	30 0	12 0	11 0	10 0	16 0	13 0	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
31	Sarun ...	20 0	19 8	17 0	23 0	25 0	29 0	8 0	8 0	10 0	12 4	12 4	17 8	...	...	...	25 0	26 0	23 0
32	Chumparun ...	15 8	14 0	19 0	20 0	21 0	29 0	12 0	11 0	14 0	20 0	15 8	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
33	Monghyr ...	19 7	19 0	17 13	19 15	21 0	26 4	9 12	9 8	11 8	11 0	10 8	13 2	...	...	...	...	...	...
34	Bhagulpore ...	18 15	18 15	15 2	18 15	18 15	21 7	10 1	10 1	12 10	12 10	12 10	15 2	...	...	...	...	...	...
35	Purneah ...	17 0	...	18 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	14 0	14 0	15 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
36	Maldah ...	19 8	20 0	18 0	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	16 0	12 8	12 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
37	Southal Pergs.	17 0	18 0	14 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	ORISSA.																		
38	Cuttack ...	19 11	18 6	13 2	...	...	...	13 2	13 2	13 2	17 1†	18 6	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
39	Pooree ...	14 7	13 2	10 8	...	...	...	15 12	17 2	15 12	19 3	18 3	19 11	...	...	...	...	...	...
40	Balasore ...	16 0	16 0	14 0	11 0	11 0	...	14 0	13 0	10 0	24 0	19 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*																		
41	Hazareebagh ...	15 8	14 0	14 0	16 0	15 8	20 0	11 0	11 0	9 8	14 0	12 0	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
42	Lohardugga ...	13 0	12 0	15 0	...	...	18 0	12 0	12 0	16 0	18 0	18 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
43	Singbhoom ...	18 0	18 0	18 0	20 0	22 0	24 0	20 0	20 0	32 0	24 0	24 0	36 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
44	Manbhoom ...	13 0	13 0	13 0	...	...	...	14 0	13 0	16 0	19 0	20 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

~~—~~ Not received.

† In the interior the price of rice ranged from 23½ to 26½ seers per rupee.

U In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 9 to 12½ seers per rupee.

V In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Brahmanbariah 12½ seers, and Chandpore 12 seers.

W In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Nowada 10 seers, and Aurungabad 12 seers.

X In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Seetamarhi 11 seers, and Hajipore 12½ seers.

Y In the sub-divisions of Sewan and Gopalgunge the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.

Z In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 10 to 13 seers per rupee.

CALCUTTA,
~~The 21st October~~ 1884.

Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 15th October 1884.—(Concld.)

SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 seers. Salt.			DISTRICTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		Eastern Districts.—(Concluded
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	11 0	13 0	12 0	...	120 0	...	11 ...	6 ...	9 0	3-8-	6 ...	4 4	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	11 0	12 0	12 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0	U 3 6	3 2	...	Noakholly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 10	16 0	18 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 8	12 4	V 3 4	3 2	3 2	Tipperah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	320 0	320 0	320 0	...	6 6	6 4	...	5 0	6 0	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	14 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Hill Tipperah.
																		BEHAR.
...	...	...	30 0	30 0	32 0	24 0	24 0	28 0	100 0	100 0	130 0	10 8	10 8	9 12	3 2	3 2	3-1-6	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	21 0	22 0	20 0	220 0	220 0	160 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	W 3 4	3 4	3 5	Gya.
...	...	...	24- ...	23- ...	- ...	22- ...	22- ...	25- ...	160 ...	140 ...	120 140 ...	12- ...	12- ...	12-8 ...	3-1- ...	3-1- ...	3-1- ...	Shahabad.
...	24-3	27-8	26-6	26-5	25-	20-15	20-15	18-	148-	176-	160-	12-	12-7	12-1	3-2-6	3-3-3	3-6-	Durbhunga.
...	...	...	32 8	32 8	37 0	20 0	20 0	28 0	140 0	140 0	140 0	12 0	12 8	12 0	X 3 4	3 4	3 4	Mozufferpore.
24 0	24 0	30 0	26 0	27 8	27 8	21 8	21 4	25 8	160 0	160 0	160 0	12 0	11 0	11 0	Y 3 2	3 6	3 5	Sarun.
...	...	...	36 0	31 0	30 0	17 0	16 0	24 0	...	...	...	11 4	12 0	11 0	Z 3 7	3 4	3 6	Chumparun.
...	...	...	32 8	30 8	27 13	22 1	21 12	23 10	126 0	126 0	126 0	13 1	12 4	12 1	Z1 2-14-6	2-14-6	3-2-5	Monghyr.
...	...	...	30 4	26 8	25 4	21 7	21 7	22 11	151 8	151 8	151 14	12 10	12 10	12 10	Z2 2-15-6	3 0	3 1	Bhagulpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	18 0	19 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	10 12	10 12	10 8	Z3 3 10	3-13-0	3 12	Purneah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 8	18 0	22 0	180 0	160 0	140 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3-2-6	3-2-6	3 4	Maldah.
...	...	...	40 0	40 0	40 0	19 0	19 0	19 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	11 0	11 0	10 8	Z4 3 7	3 7	3 8	Sonthal Pergns.
																		ORISSA.
15 12	15 12	18 6	...	...	...	22 5	21 0	18 6	80 0	80 0	80 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	2 12	2 12	2 12	Cuttack.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 2	17 2	17 1	100 0	105 0	96 0	16 0	16 0	13 3	Z5 2 7	2 7	2 12	Pooree.
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	13 0	14 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	11 0	10 8	9 3	Z6 3 6	3 6	4 2	Balasore.
																		CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*
36 0	36 0	32 9	24 0	30 0	30 0	17 0	17 0	18 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	Z7 3 6	3 11	3 11	Hazareebagh.
32 0	24 0	38 0	28 0	32 0	32 0	16 0	13 0	15 0	120 0	120 0	100 0	...	8 0	9 0	Z8 ...	4 12	4 0	Lohardugga.
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	13 0	24 0	160 0	180 0	180 0	9 0	9 0	8 0	4 0	4 0	4 7	Singbhoom
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	16 0	240 0	240 0	120 0	11 12	11 12	10 12	Z9 3 6	3 6	3 9	Manbhoom

Z1 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Begusarai 11 seers, and Jamui 11½ seers.
Z2 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Banka 12 seers, Madhubani 10½ seers, and Soopole 11 seers.
Z3 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kissengunge 9 seers, and Arrareah 11 seers.
Z4 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Deoghur 13 seers, Godda 11 seers, and Rajmehal 12 seers.
Z5 The retail price of salt at Khorda was 14 seers per rupee.
Z6 The retail price of salt at Bhuddrack was 8 seers per rupee.
Z7 The retail price of salt at Chatra was 11 seers, and at Kharruckdiha 12 seers per rupee.
Z8 The retail price of salt at Daltongunge in Palamow sub-division was 9 seers per rupee.
Z9 In the Govindpore sub-division the retail price of salt was 11 seers per rupee.

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PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD, AND SALT IN THE DISTRICTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 31st OCTOBER 1884.

PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood and Salt in the

RETAIL SALE:—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY

Number.	DISTRICTS.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice, best sort.			Rice, common.			Bulrush Millet Cumboo, Bajra.			Great Millet—Cholum Jowar.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL.																		
	Western Districts.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
1	Burdwan ...	16 0	15 0	15 0	21 0	22 0	25 5	11 4	12 0	12 0	14 4	16 8	16 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
2	Bankoora ...	15 4	15 8	16 0	17 0	17 0	14 0	14 0	13 12	12 8	13 8	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	Beerbhoom ...	16 8	16 8	15 0	...	...	...	12 0	11 8	15 0	14 0	13 8	16 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
4	Midnapore* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5	Hooghly ...	16 0	16 0	13 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	13 0	12 8	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Howrah ...	15 0	15 0	13 4	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	12 12	13 0	13 13	14 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Central Districts.																		
	Calcutta ...	17 10	17 10	15 6	20 0	20 0	20 10	8 6	8 6	11 0	10 8	10 8	16 0	11 8	11 8	21 5	11 7	11 7	20 10
6	24-Pergunnahs ...	14 4	14 0	13 4	18 0	17 8	16 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	14 8	14 0	13 5	...	...	...	...	...	...
7	Nuddea ...	16 0	16 0	14 8	20 0	20 0	24 10	10 4	10 10½	11 14	11 0	11 6	13 5½	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Khoolna ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	16 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Jessore ...	14 0	14 0	11 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	13 0	13 4	14 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
10	Moorshedabad ...	18 0	18 0	15 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	12 0	14 8	14 8	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
11	Dinagepore ...	15 0	16 0	15 0	16 0	16 8	15 0	10 13	10 8	12 0	12 6	13 4	15 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
12	Rajshahye ...	16 8	16 8 to 17 4	13 5	21 0	22 8	22 8	9 6	8 10 to 10 14	12 0 to 13 0	12 0	11 4 to 12 0	13 8 to 14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
13	Rungpore ...	13 0	16 0	13 5	...	...	...	7 0	9 7	10 0	11 0	10 11	13 5		...	...	...	...	...
14	Bogra ...	15 0	15 0	16 8	...	...	...	9 12	9 15	10 8	12 12	12 0	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
15	Pubna ...	18 0	19 8	18 0	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	8 0	13 8	12 12	14 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
16	Darjeeling ...	10 0	10 0	7 0	9 0	10 0	7 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
17	Julpigoree ...	10 0	10 0	10 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	10 0	8 0	12 8	12 0	11 8	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Eastern Districts.																		
18	Dacca ...	15 0	16 0	14 4	17 0	18 0	18 0	11 0	10 10	16 0	13 8	13 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
19	Furreedpore ...	20 0	20 0	22 0	34 0	34 0	30 0	11 0	11 0	15 0	12 0	12 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
20	Backergunge ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 8	13 0	13 0	13 0	16 0	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
21	Mymensingh ...	13 8	13 0	12 0	...	...	...	10 8	10 0	11 8	13 0	11 8	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

* Return not received.

A In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Culna 14 seers, Cutwa 13 seers, and Ranegunge 13¼ seers.
B In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 11 to 16 seers per rupee.
C In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 11½ to 13½ seers per rupee.
D In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Serampore 13 seers and Jehanabad 13½ seers.
E In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Baraset and Bussirhat 13 seers, Barrackpore 12½ seers, and Dum-Dum 12 seers.
F In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kooshtea 13 seers, Meherpore and Chooadanga 12 seers, and Kanaghat 12½ seers.
G In the sub-division the retail price of salt per rupee was—Satkhira and Bagirhat 11 seers.
H In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Jhenidah and Narail 12 seers, Bongong 13 seers, and Magurah 10½ seers.
I In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Lalbagh 11 seers, Jungypore 11 2/16 seers, and Kandi 12 seers.

Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 31*st October* 1884.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 seers. Salt.			DISTRICTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
																		BENGAL.
																		Western Districts
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 12	18 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	A 13 0	13 0	12 15	2-14-8	2-14-8	3-0-4	Burdwan.
...	...	...	32 0	30 0	28 0	17 12	17 8	17 0	240 0	240 0	220 0	B 12 12	12 8	12 0	3 2	3 3	3-3-6	Bankoora.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 4	18 0	18 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	C 12 0	12 0	12 0	3-2-6	3-2-6	3-1-3	Beerbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Midnapore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	17 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	D 13 9	13 9	13 9	2 14	2 14	2 14	Hooghly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 8	17 0	17 0	80 0	80 0	80 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	2 15	3 0	2 14	Howrah.
																		Central Districts.
...	...	...	21 8	21 8	26 8	19 11	19 11	18 13	100 0	100 0	90 0	12 13	12 13	12 5	2 12	2 12	2 12	Calcutta.
...	...	...	22 12	20 0	20 0	17 8	17 8	17 8	100 0	100 0	80 0	E 12 13	13 5	12 13	3 0	2 12	3 0	24-Pergunnahs.
...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	21 5½	18 13	...	...	...	F 12 12	12 12	11 10½	3 0	3 0	...	Nuddea.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	240 0	200 0	180 0	G 12 0	12 0	10 8	3 2	3 2	3 4	Khoolna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	H 12 0	10 12	11 8	3 0	3 2	3 2	Jessore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	19 0	20 0	19 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	I 11 0	12 0	13 5	3-1-3	3-1-3	3 0	Moorshedabad.
...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	14 0	15 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	J 13 0	12 8	11 8	3-4-0	3 3	3 6	Dinagepore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	20 11	20 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	K 12 12	12 0	12 0	3 0	3 0	3 0	Rajshahye.
...	...	...	...	...	...	9 12	14 0	16 0	110 0	110 0	110 0	L 10 0	11 14	11 14	4 0	3 5	3 5	Rungpore
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 8	17 4	15 12	80 0	80 0	62 8	12 0	10 8	12 0	3-5-4	3-5-4	3-3-8	Bogra.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 4	17 4	18 13	200 0	200 0	200 0	M 12 6	12 6	12 0	3-1-6	3-1-6	3-2-6	Pubna.
11 0	14 0	12 0	20 0	20 0	25 0	8 0	10 0	8 0	102 8	102 8	128 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 8	4 0	4 8	Darjeeling.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	128 0	128 0	128 0	N 12 4	12 4	12 4	3 4	3 4	3 4	Julpigoree.
																		Eastern Districts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	20 0	80 0	90 0	97 0	O 13 0	13 0	13 0	3 0	3 1	3 2	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	20 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	P 12 0	12 0	13 0	3 2	3 2	3 5	Furreedpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	16 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	Q 11 0	13 0	13 0	3 0	2 11	2 11	Backergunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	14 8	18 0	...	...	...	R 12 8	12 8	12 4	3 3	3 2	3 4	Mymensingh.

J The retail price of salt at Raigunge was 11½ seers per rupee.
K The retail price of salt in the sub-division of Nattore was 12 seers per rupee.
L In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Gaibanda and Kurigram 13 seers, and Nilphamari 12 seers.
M The retail price of salt at Serajgunge was 13 seers per rupee.
N The retail price of salt at Falmacotta in the Alipur sub-division was 10 seers per rupee.
O In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Manikgunge 12 seers, and Naraingungo 14 seers.
P In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Goalundo 13 seers, and Madaripur 12 seers.
Q In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Patuakhali 10½ seers, Perozepore 11 seers, and Bhola 13 seers.
R In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Attia 13 seers, and Netrakona 12$\frac{4}{5}$ seers.

PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood and Salt in the

RETAIL SALE :—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY THE

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM JOWAR.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
Eastern Districts.—Concluded.		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
22	Chittagong* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
23	Noakholly ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	19 0	14 0	14 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
24	Tipperah ...	14 9	15 4	13 0	...	...	...	13 5	11 7	18 8	15 4	13 1	19 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
25	Chittagong Hill Tracts.*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah	12 0	12 0	10 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	16 0	14 0	14 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	BEHAR.																		
26	Patna ...	21 0	21 0	20 0	25 0	25 0	32 0	11 4	11 4	13 0	12 0	12 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
27	Gya ...	18 0	19 0	17 0	16 0	20 8	21 0	8 4	8 8	11 0	11 8	11 8	14 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
28	Shahabad* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
29	Durbhunga* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
30	Mozufferpore* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
31	Sarun ...	19 8	20 0	17 0	23 0	28 0	25 0	8 0	8 0	9 8	11 8	12 4	16 0	...	...	...	26 0	25 0	25 0
32	Chumparun* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
33	Monghyr ...	19 7	19 7	18 9	18 9	19 15	27 4	10 8	9 12	12 5	11 9	11 0	13 15	...	...	...	...	...	...
34	Bhagulpore ...	18 15	18 15	15 2	20 8	18 15	29 11	10 6	10 1	13 10	13 4	12 10	15 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
35	Purneah* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
36	Maldah ...	19 0	19 8	16 0	...	...	...	10 0	9 0	10 0	12 0	12 8	12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
37	Southal Pergs.	16 0	17 0	13 0	...	...	...	10 0	12 0	14 0	14 8	14 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	ORISSA.																		
38	Cuttack ...	19 11	19 11	13 2	...	...	...	13 2	13 2	13 2	17 1†	17 1	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
39	Pooree* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
40	Balasore ...	18 0	16 0	14 0	11 0	11 0	...	16 0	14 0	10 0	28 0	24 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*																		
41	Hazareebagh ...	15 0	15 8	14 8	15 0	16 0	18 0	11 0	11 0	9 8	14 0	14 0	14 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
42	Lohardugga ...	15 0	13 0	16 0	...	...	18 0	13 0	12 0	14 0	18 0	18 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
43	Singbhoom ...	18 0	18 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	24 0	20 0	20 0	24 0	24 0	24 0	28 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
44	Manbhoom ...	14 0	13 0	13 0	...	...	...	13 0	14 0	16 0	18 0	19 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

* Returns not received.

† The retail price of rice in the interior ranged from 21 to 26½ seers per rupee.

S In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Brahmanbariah 12½ seers, and Chandpore 12 seers.

T In the Aurungabad sub-division the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.

U In the sub-divisions of Sewan and Gopalgunge the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.

V In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Begusarai 11 seers, and Jamui 11½ seers.

Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 31st October 1884.—(Concld.)

SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Kagi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 seers. Salt.			Districts.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		Eastern Districts.—(Concluded.)
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	12 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0	3 6	3 6	...	Noakholly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 10	15 10	16 4	...	...	...	12 0 [S]	12 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 2	Tipperah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	14 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Hill Tipperah.
																		BEHAR.
...	...	...	30 0	30 0	32 0	24 0	24 0	28 0	100 0	100 0	120 0	10 8	10 8	11 0	3 2	3 2	3 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	21 0	20 0	240 0	220 0	160 0	11 0 [T]	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 5	Gya.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Shahabad.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Durbhunga.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Mozufferpore.
23 0	24 0	30 0	27 8	26 0	24 0	21 8	21 8	22 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	12 0 [U]	12 0	11 0	3 2	3 2	3 5	Sarun.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chumparun.
...	...	...	31 8	32 8	29 6	22 5	22 1	24 2	126 0	126 0	126 0	13 5 [V]	13 1	12 1	2-14-6	2-14-6	3-2-5	Monghyr.
...	...	...	30 4	30 4	26 8	21 7	21 7	22 11	64 0	151 8	151 8	12 10 [W]	12 10	12 10	2 15	2-15-6	3 0	Bhagulpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Purneah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	17 8	20 0	180 0	180 0	160 0	11 8	12 0	12 0	3 4	3-2-6	3 4	Maldah.
...	...	...	28 0	40 0	28 0	16 0	19 0	17 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	11 0 [X]	11 0	10 8	3 7	...	...	Sonthal Pergns.
																		ORISSA.
15 12	15 12	18 6	...	...	...	22 5	22 5	18 6	80 0	80 0	80 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	2 13	2 12	2 12	Cuttack.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pooree.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	14 0	14 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	11 0 [Y]	11 0	9 2	3 6	3 6	4 2	Balasore.
																		CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*
30 0	36 0	27 0	24 0	24 0	20 0	16 0	17 0	17 8	240 0	240 0	240 0	10 0 [Z]	10 0	10 8	3 10	3 6	3 10	Hazareebagh.
...	32 0	34 0	24 0	28 0	30 0	16 0	16 0	14 0	120 0	120 0	100 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	3 10	3 10	4 0	Lohardugga.
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	24 0	160 0	180 0	180 0	9 0	9 0	8 0	4 0	4 0	4 7	Singbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	16 0	240 0	240 0	120 0	11 10	11 12	12 12	3 6	3 6	3 10	Manbhoom.

W In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Banka 12 seers, Madhupura 10½ seers, and Koopole 10 seers.
X The retail price of salt at Godda and Rajmehal was 11 seers per rupee.
Y The retail price of salt at Bhuddrack was 9 seers per rupee.
Z The retail price of salt at Khairuckdiha was 12 seers per rupee.

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PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD, AND SALT IN THE DISTRICTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 31ST OCTOBER 1884

RETAIL SALE:—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY

Number.	DISTRICTS.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice, best sort.			Rice, common.			Bulrush Millet Cumboo, Bajra.			Great Millet—Cholum Jowar.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL.																		
	Western Districts.																		
		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
1	Burdwan ...	16 0	15 0	15 0	21 0	22 0	25 5	11 4	12 0	12 0	14 4	16 8	16 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
2	Bankoora ...	15 4	15 8	16 0	17 0	17 0	14 0	14 0	13 12	12 8	16 8	16 0	16 0		...	...	...	...	...
3	Beerbhoom ...	16 8	16 8	15 0	...	...	...	12 0	11 8	15 0	14 0	13 8	16 8	...	...	...		...	...
4	Midnapore ...	12 0	12 0	12 0	20 0	20 0	15 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	17 0	17 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
5	Hooghly ...	16 0	16 0	13 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8 0	13 0	12 8	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Howrah ...	15 0	15 0	13 4	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	12 12	13 0	12 12	14 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Central Districts.																		
	Calcutta ...	17 10	17 10	15 6	20 0	20 0	20 10	8 6	8 6	11 0	10 8	10 8	16 0	11 8	11 8	21 5	11 7	11 7	20 10
6	24-Pergunnahs ...	14 4	14 0	13 4	18 0	17 8	16 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	14 8	14 0	13 5	...	...	...	...	...	...
7	Nuddea ...	16 0	16 0	14 8	20 0	20 0	24 10	10 4	10 10½	11 14	11 0	11 6	13 5½	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Khoolna ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	16 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Jessore ...	14 0	14 0	11 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	13 0	13 4	14 0	20 0	...		..	...	...	...
10	Moorshedabad ...	18 0	18 0	15 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	12 0	14 8	14 8	16 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
11	Dinagepore ..	15 0	16 0	15 0	16 0	16 8	15 0	10 13	10 8	12 0	12 6	13 4	15 8	..	...	...	...	...	...
12	Rajshahye ...	16 8	16 8 to 17 4	13 5	21 0	22 8	22 8	9 6	8 10 to 10 14	12 0 to 13 0	12 0	11 4 to 12 0	13 8 to 14 0	...	...	.	.	..	...
13	Rungpore ...	13 0	16 0	13 5	...	...	...	7 0	9 7	10 0	11 0	10 11	13 5		...	..	...	...	...
14	Bogra ...	15 0	15 0	16 8	...	...	...	9 12	9 15	10 8	12 12	12 0	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
15	Pubna ...	18 0	19 8	18 0	...	..	.	8 4	8 4	8 0	13 8	12 12	14 8	..	...	..	...	...	...
16	Darjeeling ...	10 0	10 0	7 0	9 0	10 0	7 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
17	Julpigoree ..	10 0	10 0	10 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	10 0	8 0	12 8	12 0	11 8	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Eastern Districts.																		
18	Dacca ...	15 0	16 0	14 4	17 0	18 0	18 0	11 0	10 10	16 0	13 8	13 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
19	Furreedpore ...	20 0	20 0	22 0	34 0	34 0	30 0	11 0	11 0	15 0	12 0	12 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
20	Backergunge .	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 8	13 0	13 0	13 0	16 0	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
21	Mymensingh ...	18 8	13 0	12 0	...	...	...	10 8	10 0	11 8	13 0	11 8	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

A In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Culna 14 seers, Cutwa 13 seers, and Ranegunge 18¾ seers.
B In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 11 to 16 seers per rupee.
C In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 11½ to 13½ seers per rupee.
D In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Ghattal 14½ seers, Contai 12½ seers, and Tumlook 11 seers.
E In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Serampore 13 seers and Jehanabad 13½ seers.
F In the sub divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Baraset and Bussirhat 13 seers, Barrackpore 12¾ seers, and Dum-Dum 12 seers.
G In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kooshtea 13 seers, Meherpore and Choondanga 12 seers, and Ranaghat 12½ seers.
H In the sub-division the retail price of salt per rupee was—Satkhira and Bagerhat 11 seers.
I In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Jhenidah and Nawail 12 seers, Bongong 13 seers, and Magurah 10¾ seers.
J In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Lalbagh 11 seers, Jungypore 11 9/16 seers, and Kandi 12 seers.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 Seers. Salt.			DISTRICTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		BENGAL.
																		Western Districts
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch	Rs A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 12	18 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	A 13 0	13 0	12 15	2-14-8	2-14-8	3-0-4	Burdwan.
...	...	..	32 0	30 0	28 0	17 12	17 8	17 0	240 0	240 0	320 0	B 12 12	12 8	12 0	3 2	3 3	3-3-6	Bankoora.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 4	18 0	18 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	C 12 0	12 0	12 0	3-2-6	3-2-6	3-1-3	Beerbhoom.
...	...	..	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 4	155 0	155 0	155 0	D 13 0	12 12	12 12	2 15	3-0-3	2 14	Midnapore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	17 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	E 13 9	13 9	13 9	2 14	2 14	2 14	Hooghly.
...	...	..	...	...	...	17 8	17 0	17 0	80 0	80 0	80 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	2 15	3 0	2 14	Howrah.
																		Central Districts.
...	...	...	21 8	21 8	26 8	19 11	19 11	18 13	100 0	100 0	90 0	12 13	12 13	13 5	2 12	2 12	2 12	Calcutta.
...	...	...	22 12	20 0	20 0	17 8	17 8	17 8	100 0	100 0	80 0	F 12 13	13 5	12 13	3 0	2 12	3 0	24-Pergunnahs.
...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	21 5½	18 13	...	..	...	G 12 12	12 12	11 10½	3 0	3 0	...	Nuddea.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	240 0	200 0	180 0	H 12 0	12 0	10 8	3 2	3 2	3 4	Khoolna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	I 12 0	10 12	11 8	3 0	3 2	3 2	Jessore.
...	...	..	...	...	...	19 0	20 0	19 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	J 11 0	12 0	13 5	3-1-3	3-1-3	3 0	Moorshedabad.
...	...	..	...	...	...	13 0	14 0	15 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	K 12 0	12 8	11 8	3-4 0	3 3	3 6	Dinagepore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	20 11	20 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	L 12 12	12 0	12 0	3 0	3 0	3 0	Rajshahye.
...	...	...	...	...	...	9 12	14 0	16 0	110 0	110 0	110 0	M 10 0	11 14	11 14	4 0	3 5	3 5	Rungpore
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 8	17 4	15 12	80 0	80 0	62 8	12 0	10 8	12 0	3-5-4	3-5-4	3-2-8	Bogra.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 4	17 4	18 13	200 0	200 0	200 0	N 12 6	12 6	12 0	3-1-6	3-1-6	3-2-6	Pubna.
11 0	14 0	12 0	20 0	20 0	25 0	8 0	10 0	8 0	102 8	102 8	128 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 8	4 0	4 8	Darjeeling.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	128 0	128 0	128 0	O 12 4	12 4	12 4	3 4	3 4	3 4	Julpigoree.
																		Eastern Districts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	20 0	80 0	80 0	97 0	P 13 0	13 0	13 0	3 0	3 1	3 2	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	20 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	Q 12 0	12 0	12 0	3 2	3 2	3 5	Furreedpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	16 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	R 11 0	13 0	13 0	3 0	2 11	2 11	Backergunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	14 8	18 0	...	...	..	S 12 8	12 8	12 4	3 3	3 2	3 4	Mymensingh.

K The retail price of salt at Raigunge was 11½ seers per rupee.
L The retail price of salt in the sub-division of Nattore was 12 seers per rupee.
M In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Gaibanda and Kurigram 13 seers, and Nilphamari 12 seers.
N The retail price of salt at Serajgunge was 13 seers per rupee.
O The retail price of salt at Fallacotta in the Alipur sub-division was 10 seers per rupee.
P In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Munickgunge 12 seers, and Naraingunge 14 seers.
Q In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Goalundo 13 seers, and Madaripur 12 seers.
R In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Patuakhali 10¾ seers, Perozepore 11 seers, and Bhola 13 seers
S In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Attia 13 seers, and Netrakona 12 1/16 seers.

PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood and Salt in the

RETAIL SALE :—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY THE

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM JOWAR.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	Eastern Districts.—Concluded.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
22	Chittagong ...	16 0	15 0	12 8	...	...	...	12 0	13 0	14 0	16 0	17 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
23	Noakholly ...	...	...	...	...	...	..	13 0	13 0	19 0	14 0	14 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
24	Tipperah ...	14 9	15 4	13 0	...	...	...	13 5	11 7	18 8	15 4	13 1	19 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
25	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 6	11 6	12 4	16 0	12 5	13 14	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah	12 0	12 0	10 0	...	.....	...	12 0	12 0	16 0	14 0	14 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	BEHAR.																		
26	Patna ..	21 0	21 0	20 0	25 0	25 0	32 0	11 4	11 4	13 0	12 0	12 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
27	Gya ...	18 0	19 0	17 0	16 0	20 8	21 0	8 4	8 8	11 0	11 8	11 8	14 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
28	Shahabad ...	18 8	18 0	{16 0 to 17 0}	21 0	20 0	24 0	8 0	8 0	{10 0 to 11 0}	12 0	12 0	15 0	...	24 0	24 0	23 0	...	23 0
29	Durbhunga ...	18 11	18 2	13 0	22 0	20 15	23 0	9 5	9 15	11 0	13 3	13 3	12 8	...	...	..	...	...	...
30	Mozufferpore ...	17 0	19 0	15 0	26 0	26 0	25 0	11 0	12 0	9 0	16 0	16 0	11 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
31	Sarun ...	19 8	20 0	17 0	23 0	23 0	25 0	8 0	8 0	9 8	11 8	12 4	16 0	...	...	...	26 0	25 0	25 0
32	Chumparun ...	16 0	15 8	19 0	19 0	20 0	31 0	12 0	12 0	14 0	18 0	20 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
33	Monghyr ...	19 7	19 7	13 9	18 9	19 15	27 4	10 8	9 12	12 5	11 9	11 0	13 15	...	...	...	...	...	...
34	Bhagulpore ...	18 15	18 15	15 2	20 8	18 15	22 11	10 6	10 1	12 10	13 4	12 10	15 12	...	...	..	...	...	...
35	Purneah ...	16 0	17 0	16 0	...	...	...	12 0	11 0	13 0	13 0	14 0	16 0	...	...	..	...	...	...
36	Maldah ...	19 0	19 8	16 0	...	...	...	10 0	9 0	10 0	12 0	12 8	12 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
37	Sonthal Pergs.	16 0	17 0	13 0	...	...	...	10 0	12 0	14 0	14 8	14 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	ORISSA.																		
38	Cuttack ...	19 11	19 11	13 2	...	...	...	13 2	13 2	13 2	17 1*	17 1	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
39	Pooree ...	14 7	14 7	10 8	...	...	...	13 2	15 12	15 12	17 1	19 3	19 11	...	...	...	...	...	...
40	Balasore ...	18 0	16 0	14 0	11 0	11 0	...	16 0	14 0	10 0	28 0	24 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*																		
41	Hazarebagh ...	15 0	15 8	14 8	15 0	16 0	18 0	11 0	11 0	9 8	14 0	14 0	14 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
42	Lohardugga ...	15 0	13 0	16 0	...	...	18 0	13 0	12 0	14 0	18 0	18 0	18 0	...	...	..	...	..	...
43	Singbhoom ...	18 0	18 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	24 0	20 0	20 0	24 0	24 0	24 0	28 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
44	Manbhoom ...	14 0	13 0	13 0	...	..	...	13 0	14 0	16 0	18 0	19 0	21 0	...	...	..	...	...	...

* The retail price of rice in the interior ranged from 21 to 26½ seers per rupee.

T In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Brahmanbariah 12½ seers, and Chandpore 12 seers.

U In the Aurungabad sub-division the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.

V The retail price of salt at Buxar and Sasseram was 12 seers per rupee.

W In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Madhubani 11 seers, and Tajpore 11½ seers.

X In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 11 to 13½ seers per rupee.

Y In the sub-divisions of Sewan and Gopalgunge the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.

Z In the Bettiah sub-division the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.

SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 seers. Salt.			Districts.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding ret rn of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		Eastern Districts.—Concluded.
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. a.	Rs. a.	Rs. a.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	16 0	...	120 0	40 0	...	...	10 8		...	3 4	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	..	...	11 0	11 0	12 0	..	...	...	10 0	10 0	10 0	3 6	3 6	...	Noakholly.
...	...	...	.	...	...	15 10	15 10	18 4	...	...	...	T 12 0	12 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 2	Tipperah.
...	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	320 0	320 0	320 0	...	...	8 0	...	...	...	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	14 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Hill Tipperah.
																		BEHAR.
...	...	..	30 0	30 0	32 0	24 0	24 0	28 0	100 0	100 0	130 0	10 8	10 8	11 0	3 2	3 2	3 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	21 0	20 0	240 0	220 0	160 0	U 11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 5	Gya.
...	...	...	22 0	24 0	...	22 0	22 0	24 0	140 0	160 0	120 0	V 12 4	12 0	12 8	3 1	3 1	3 1	Shahabad.
27 6	...	24 0	27 6	26 6	22 0	19 13	20 15	18 0	176 0	198 0	160 0	W 13 8	12 0	10 0	3-3-6	3-2-6	3 10	Durbhunga.
...	...	...	30 0	32 8	22 8	20 0	20 0	21 0	140 0	140 0	140 0	X 12 0	12 0	11 8	3 4	3 4	3 5	Mozufferpore.
23 0	24 0	30 0	27 8	26 0	24 0	21 8	21 8	22 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	Y 12 0	12 0	11 0	3 2	3 2	3 5	Sarun.
...	...	...	31 0	36 0	29 0	18 0	17 0	23 0	...	...	...	Z 12 0	11 4	11 0	3 4	3 7	3 6	Chumparun.
...	...	.	31 8	32 8	29 6	22 5	22 1	24 2	126 0	126 0	126 0	Z1 13 5	13 1	12 1	2-14-6	2-14-6	3-2-5	Monghyr.
...	...	..	30 4	30 4	26 8	21 7	21 7	22 11	164 0	151 8	151 8	Z2 12 10	12 10	12 10	2 15	2-15-6	3 1	Bhagulpore.
...	...	..	..	...	...	17 0	17 0	19 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	Z3 11 0	10 12	11 0	3 10	3 10	3 12	Purneah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	17 8	20 0	180 0	180 0	160 0	11 8	12 0	12 0	3 4	3-2-6	3 4	Maldah.
...	...	...	28 0	40 0	28 0	16 0	19 0	17 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	Z4 11 0	11 0	10 8	3 7	...	2 6	Sonthal Pergns.
																		ORISSA.
15 12	15 12	18 6	...	..	...	22 5	22 5	18 6	80 0	80 0	80 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	2 13	2 12	2 12	Cuttack.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 2	17 2	17 1	96 0	100 0	96 0	Z5 16 0	16 0	13 3	2 7	2 7	2 12	Pooree.
...	...	...	..	..		16 0	14 0	14 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	Z6 11 0	11 0	9 2	3 6	3 6	4 2	Balasore.
																		CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*
30 0	36 0	27 0	24 0	24 0	20 0	16 0	17 0	17 8	240 0	240 0	240 0	Z7 10 0	10 0	10 8	3 10	3 6	3 10	Hazareebagh.
...	32 0	34 0	24 0	28 0	30 0	16 0	16 0	14 0	120 0	120 0	100 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	3 10	3 10	4 0	Lohardugga.
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	24 0	160 0	180 0	180 0	9 0	9 0	8 0	4 0	4 0	4 7	Singbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	16 0	240 0	240 0	120 0	11 10	11 12	10 12	3 6	3 6	3 10	Manbhoom.

Z1 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Begusarai 11 seers, and Jamui 11½ seers.
Z2 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Banka 12 seers, Madhupura 10½ seers, and Goopole 10 seers.
Z3 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Kissengunge 10 seers and Arrareah 11 seers.
Z4 The retail price of salt at Godda and Rajmehal was 11 seers per rupee.
Z5 In the Khoord sub-division the retail price of salt was 14 seers per rupee.
Z6 The retail price of salt at Bhuddrack was 9 seers per rupee.
Z7 The retail price of salt at Kharruckdiha was 12 seers per rupee.

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PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD, AND SALT IN THE DISTRICTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 15TH NOVEMBER 1884.

PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood and Salt in the

RETAIL SALE:—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BURRUGH MILLET CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM JOWAR.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL.																		
	Western Districts.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
1	Burdwan ...	15 8	16 0	16 2	22 0	21 0	24 12	11 8	11 4	12 12	16 0	14 4	16 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
2	Bankoora ...	15 8	15 4	18 12	17 0	17 0	16 0	13 8	14 0	13 0	16 0	18 8	17 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	Beerbhoom ...	16 8	16 8	15 0	...	...	...	12 8	12 0	13 8	14 0	14 0	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
4	Midnapore ...	12 0	12 0	12 0	20 0	20 0	15 0	13 0	14 0	14. 0	15 0	17 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
5	Hooghly ...	16 0	16 0	18 0	...	...	...	8 0	8 0	8. 0	18 0	13 0	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Howrah ...	15 0	15 0	18 8	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	12 8	15 4	13 0	14 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Central Districts																		
	Calcutta ...	17 10	17 10	14 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	8 6	8 6	8 14	10 8	10 8	14 9	11 8	11 8	32 10	11 7	11 7	20 10
6	24-Pergunnahs ...	14 8	14 4	13 0	17 8	18 0	17 8	8 8	8 0	8 0	16 0	14 8	13 5	...	...	...	...	...	...
7	Nuddea ...	17 4	16 0	14 8	21 5½	20 0	24 10	10 10½	10 4	12 5	11 8	11 0	13 5½	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Khoolna ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	12 0	13 0	14 0	14 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Jessore ...	14 0	14 0	12 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	12 4	14. 0	13 4	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
10	Moorshedabad ...	18 0	18 0	16 0	...	...	...	10 0	11 0	12. 0	16 0	14 8	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
11	Dinagepore ...	15 8	15 0	14 8	18 0	16 0	14 0	10 12	10 13	12 0	15 0	12 6	15 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
12	Rajshahye ...	16 8 to 17 8	16 8	13 8	21 0	21 0	23 8	10 8	9 6	12 0	12 12	12 0	13 8 to 14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
13	Rungpore ...	13 0	13 0	11 14	...	...	...	7 0	7 0	10 0 0	11 0	11 0	13 5	...	...	...	...	...	...
14	Bogra ...	15 0	15 0	15 12	...	...	...	9 0	9 12	9 12	12 0	12 12	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
15	Pubna ...	18 12	18 0	18 0	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	8 8	15 0	13 8	13 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
16	Darjeeling ...	10 0	10 0	7 0	...	9 0	7 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
17	Julpigoree ...	10 0	10 0	10 0	20 0	20 0	20 0	10 0	10 0	13 0 4	12 0	12 0	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Eastern Districts.																		
18	Dacca ...	18 0	18 0	16 0	16 0	17 0	16 0	11 0	11 0	14 0	13 0	13 8	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
19	Furreedpore ...	20 0	20 0	22 0	24 0	24 0	20 0	11 0	11 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
20	Backergunge ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	12 0	13 0	12 0	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
21	Mymensingh ...	13 4	13 8	12 8	...	...	...	10 0	10 8	11 0	12 4	13 0	14 8	...	...	...	...	...	...

A In the sub divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Culna 14 seers, Cutwa 13½ seers, and Ranegunge 13½ seers.
B In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 12 to 13 seers per rupee.
C In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 11½ to 13½ seers per rupee.
D In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Ghattal 14 seers, Contai 12½ seers.
E In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Berampore 13½ seers and Jeaungabad 13½ seers.
F In the sub divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Baraset and Bussirhat 13 seers, Barrackpore 12½ seers, and Dum-Dum 12 seers.
G In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kooshtea 13 seers, Meherpore and Chooadanga 14 seers, and Ranaghat 12½ seers.
H In the sub-division the retail price of salt per rupee was—Satkhira and Bagirhat 11 seers.
I In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Jhenidah and Nagail 12 seers, Magurah 10½ seers, and Bongong 13 seers.
J In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Lalbagh 11 seers, Jungypore 13 seers, and Kaundi 12 seers.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 seers			
Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year	Salt. Present return.	Salt. Next preceding return.	Salt. Corresponding return of last year.	DISTRICTS.
																		BENGAL.
																		Western Districts
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
..	..	..	..	..	..	20 0	17 12	19 8	120 0	120 0	120 0	A 13 0	13 0	12 12	2-14-8	2-14-8	3-1-4	Burdwan.
..	..	..	28 0	32 0	22 0	17 12	17 12	17 8	240 0	240 0	320 0	B 12 12	12 12	12 0	3-2-6	3 2	3-3-6	Bankoora.
..	..	..	..	..	..	16 0	17 4	18 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	C 12 0	12 0	12 0	3-2-6	3-2-6	3-1-3	Beerbhoom.
..	..	..	..	..	..	16 0	16 0	16 0	155 0	155 0	155 0	D 12 12	13 0	12 8	3 0	2 15	3 14	Midnapore.
..	..	..	..	..	..	16 0	17 0	17 0	120 0	120 0	190 0	E 13 9	13 9	13 9	2 14	2 14	2 14	Hooghly.
..	..	..	..	..	..	17 8	17 8	16 0	80 0	80 0	80 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	3 0	2 15	3 0	Howrah
																		Central Districts.
..	..	..	21 8	21 8	22 10	19 11	19 11	14 9	100 0	100 0	90 0	F 12 13	12 13	13 5	2 12	2 12	2 12	Calcutta.
..	..	..	22 12	22 12	20 0	17 8	17 8	16 0	90 0	100 0	80 0	12 13	12 13	12 4	3 0	3 0	3 5	24-Pergunnahs.
..	..	..	..	..	..	21	20 0	18 13	...	..	...	G 11 10½	12 12	11 10½	3 0	3 0	3 0	Nuddea.
..	..	..	..	..	..	16 0	16 0	16 0	200 0	240 0	2 0 0	H 12 0	12 0	10 8	3 2	3 2	3 4	Khoolna.
..	..	..	..	..	..	16 0	16 0	16 0	120 0	120 0	190 0	I 11 12	12 0	11 8	3 2	3 0	3 2	Jessore
..	..	..	..	..	..	20 0	19 0	19 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	J 12 0	11 0	12 0	3-1-3	3-1-3	3 0	Moorsheedabad.
..	..	..	..	..	..	14 0	13 0	14 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	K 12 0	12 0	11 8	3 4	3 4	3 8	Dinagepore.
..	..	..	..	..	..	20 0	20 0	18 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	L 12 12	12 12	12 0	3 0	3 0	3-1-3	Rajshahye.
..	..	..	..	..	..	9 12	9 12	16 0	93 0	110 0	110 0	M 10 0	10 0	..	4 0	4 0	...	Burgpore
..	..	..	..	..	..	15 0	16 8	15 0	80 0	80 0	67 8	12 0	12 0	12 0	3-5-4	3-5-4	3-2-8	Bogra.
..	..	..	..	..	..	17 4	17 4	18 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	N 12 6	12 6	12 0	3 1	3-1-6	3-2-6	Pubna
18 0	11 0	13 0	20 0	20 0	16 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	16 0	102 8	110 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 4	4 8	4 8	Darjeeling.
..	..	..	..	..	..	16 0	16 0	14 0	128 0	128 0	128 0	O 12 4	12 4	12 4	3 4	3 4	3 4	Julpigoree.
																		Eastern Districts.
..	..	..	..	..	..	18 0	17 0	18 0	80 0	80 0	97 0	P 13 0	13 0	12 0	3 0	3 0	3 4	Dacca.
..	..	..	..	..	..	16 0	16 0	60 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	Q 12 0	12 0	12 0	3 2	3 2	3 5	Furreedpore
..	..	..	..	..	..	16 0	17 0	16 0	120 0	130 0	120 0	R 13 0	11 0	13 0	3 2	3 0	2 11	Backergunge
..	..	..	..	..	..	15 4	15 0	18 0	..	..	..	S 12 8	12 8	12 4	3 3	3 3	3 4	Mymensingh.

K The retail price of salt at Rajgunge was 11½ seers per rupee.
L In the sub-division the retail price of salt per rupee at Nattore and Nowgong was 12 seers.
M In the sub divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Gaibanda and Kurigram 13 seers, and Nilphamari 12 seers.
N The retail price of salt at Serajgunge was 13 seers per rupee.
O The retail price of salt at Falakatta in Alipur sub-division was 10 seers per rupee.
P In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Munickgunge 12 seers, and Narainguuge 14 seers.
Q In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Goalundo 13 seers, and Madaripur 12 seers
R In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Patuakhali 10½ seers, Perozepore 11 seers, and Bhola 10 seers
S In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Kishoregunge 10⅝ seers, Attia 12 seers, Jamalpore 11½ seers, and Netrakona 12¼ seers

RETAIL SALE :—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY THE

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM JOWAR.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	Eastern Districts.—Concluded.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
22	Chittagong ...	15 0	15 0	11 0	...	...	...	13 0	12 0	14 0	16 0	16 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	—
23	Noakholly ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	17 0	14 0	14 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	—
24	Tipperah ...	14 8	14 9	13 0	...	...	...	12 8	13 5	17 0	13 10	15 4	18 12	...	...	...	...	...	—
25	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	10 10	11 6	12 4	11 13	16 0	13 14	...	...	...	...	...	—
	Hill Tipperah	12 0	12 0	10 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	15 0	14 0	14 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	—
	BEHAR.																		
26	Patna ...	20 8	21 0	20 0	20 15	25 0	29 0	9 12	11 4	13 0	16 3	12 0	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	—
27	Gya ...	17 12	18 0	17 0	18 0	16 0	23 0	8 8	8 4	10 8	13 0	11 8	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	—
28	Shahabad ...	18 0 to 19 0	18 8	16 0 to 17 0	21 0	21 0	28 8	8 0	8 0	10 0 to 11 0	12 0	12 0	13 8 to 14 0	...	...	24 0	...	23 0	24 0
29	Durbhunga ...	18 12	18 11	13 0	19 12	22 0	23 0	9 10	9 5	11 0	12 6	13 3	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	—
30	Mozufferpore ...	17 0	17 0	17 0	26 0	26 0	25 0	11 0	11 0	10 0	16 0	16 0	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
31	Sarun ...	20 0	19 8	15 8	25 0	23 0	24 0	8 0	8 0	9 8	13 0	11 8	13 0	...	...	...	27 0	26 0	22 0
32	Chumparun ...	16 0	16 0	19 0	...	19 0	31 0	12 0	12 0	14 0	17 0	18 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	—
33	Monghyr ...	19 15	19 7	17 13	18 14	18 9	21 0	10 8	10 8	10 9	12 1	11 9	11 9	...	...	...	...	...	—
34	Bhagulpore ...	19 9	18 15	15 2	20 3	20 3	22 11	10 11	10 6	11 15	13 14	13 4	13 14	...	...	...	...	...	—
35	Purneah ...	18 0	16 0	15 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	13 0	14 0	13 0	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	—
36	Maldah ...	19 8	19 0	17 8	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	—
37	Sonthal Pergs.	15 0	16 0	14 0	...	...	...	11 0	10 0	14 0	15 0	14 8	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	—
	ORISSA.																		
38	Cuttack ...	21 0	19 11	13 2	...	...	...	13 2	13 2	13 2	17 1*	17 1	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	—
39	Pooree ...	14 7	14 7	10 8	...	...	...	11 13	13 2	14 7	15 12	17 1	19 11	...	...	...	...	...	—
40	Balasore ...	18 0	18 0	14 0	11 0	11 0	...	13 0	16 0	10 0	21 8	28 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	—
	CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*																		
41	Hazareebagh ...	15 8	15 0	15 8	15 0	16 0	18 0	11 8	11 0	9 8	17 0	14 0	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	—
42	Lohardugga ...	15 0	15 0	15 0	...	...	16 0	16 0	13 0	14 0	20 0	16 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	—
43	Singbhoom ...	18 0	18 0	16 0	20 0	20 0	24 0	20 0	20 0	18 0	24 0	24 0	22 0	...	...	...	...	...	—
44	Manbhoom ...	13 0	14 0	13 0	...	...	...	15 0	13 0	14 8	21 0	18 0	20 0	...	...	...	...	...	—

* In the interior the retail price of rice ranges from 23 seers 10 chittacks to 26½ seers per rupee.
T The retail price of salt at Hathazari was 10 seers per rupee.
U In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 9 to 13 seers per rupee.
V In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Brahmanbariah 13 seers, and Chandpore 12½ seers.
W In the sub-division the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Buxar and Sasseram 12 seers and Bhabbuah 11 seers.
X In the sub-division of Tajpore the retail price of salt was 11½ seers per rupee
Y In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 9 to 12½ seers per rupee.
Z In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Sewan 11½ seers and Gopalgunge 12 seers.

Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 15th November 1884.—(Concld.)

SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 seers. Salt.			Districts.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		Eastern Districts.—Concluded
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	11 0	16 0	120 0	...	40 0	T 11 0	11 0	13 0	3 8	...	3 0	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	12 0	...	...	...	U 10 0	10 0	10 0	3 6	3 6	...	Noakholly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 10	15 10	18 4	...	...	...	V 12 0	12 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Tipperah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	320 0	320 0	320 0	8 0	...	8 0	4 8	...	...	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	16 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Hill Tipperah.
																		BEHAR.
...	...	...	30 0	30 0	32 0	21 0	24 0	25 0	114 0	100 0	130 0	12 0	10 8	11 0	3 0	3 2	3 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	20 0	20 0	200 0	220 0	160 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 5	3 4	3 5	Gya.
...	...	...	22 0	22 0	...	20 0	23 0	23 0	140 0	140 0	120 0	W 12 4	12 4	12 8	3 1	3 1	3 1	Shahabad.
28 0	27 6	24 0	28 12	27 6	22 0	21 4	10 13	22 0	198 0	176 0	160 0	X 13 3	13 3	12 6	3-3-6	3-3-6	3-1-6	Durbhunga.
...	...	...	30 0	30 0	22 8	20 0	20 0	21 0	140 0	140 0	140 0	Y 12 0	12 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Mozufferpore.
24 0	23 0	26 0	28 0	27 8	23 0	21 0	21 8	20 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	Z 12 0	12 0	11 0	3 2	3 2	3 5	Sarun.
...	...	...	31 0	31 0	29 0	17 0	18 0	23 0	...	...	...	Z1 12 0	12 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 6	Chumparun.
...	...	...	33 9	31 8	23 1	23 1	22 5	21 8	126 0	126 0	126 0	Z2 13 2	13 5	12 1	2-1-6	2-14-6	3-2-5	Monghyr.
...	...	...	30 4	30 4	24 0	21 7	21 7	22 11	164 0	164 0	151 8	Z3 12 10	12 10	12 10	3 0	2 15	3 1	Bhagulpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	17 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	Z4 10 12	11 0	10 8	3 10	3 10	3 12	Purneah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	18 0	190 0	180 0	160 0	12 0	11 8	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Maldah.
...	...	...	32 0	28 0	28 0	16 0	16 0	17 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	Z5 11 0	11 0	11 0	3 8	3 7	2 4	Sonthal Pergns.
																		ORISSA.
15 12	15 12	15 12	...	...	...	23 8	22 5	21 0	80 0	80 0	80 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	2 12	2 12	2 12	Cuttack.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 2	17 2	17 1	100 0	95 0	100 0	16 0	16 0	13 3	2 7	2 7	2 12	Pooree.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	14 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	11 0	11 0	9 2	3 6	3 6	4 2	Balasore.
																		CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency*
27 0	30 0	24 0	24 0	24 0	20 0	17 9	16 6	18 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	Z6 10 0	10 0	10 0	3-7-3	3 10	3 9	Hazareebagh.
44 0	...	32 0	24 0	24 0	28 0	15 0	16 0	14 9	120 0	120 0	100 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	3 10	3 10	4 0	Lohardugga.
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 9	12 0	20 0	160 0	160 0	180 0	9 0	9 0	8 0	4 0	4 0	4 7	Singbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	16 0	240 0	240 0	120 0	11 10	11 12	10 12	3 8	3 8	3 8	Manbhoom.

Z1 In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 10 to 13 seers per rupee.
Z2 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Begusarai 11 seers, and Jamui 11½ seers.
Z3 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Banka 12 seers, Madhupura 10½ seers, and Sooppie 11½ seers.
Z4 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were.—Kissengunge 10 seers and at Ranegunge in Arrareah 11 seers.
Z5 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Rajmehal and Godda 11 seers and Deoghur 13 seers.
Z6 The retail price of salt at Chatra was 11 seers and at Kharruckdiha 12 seers per rupee.

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PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD, AND SALT IN THE DISTRICTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 30TH NOVEMBER 1884.

RETAIL SALE:—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM JOWAR.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL.																		
	Western Districts.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S.Ch.
1	Burdwan ...	16 0	15 8	15 0	28 0	28 0	22 8	11 8	11 8	14 2	16 0	16 0	19 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
2	Bankoora ...	15 0	15 8	15 0	16 0	17 0	14 0	14 12	14 8	13 0	16 12	16 0	17 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	Beerbhoom ...	16 8	16 8	15 0	...	...	...	14 0	12 8	13 8	16 0	14 0	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
4	Midnapore ...	12 0	12 0	16 0	20 0	20 0	15 0	14 0	13 0	11 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
5	Hooghly ...	16 0	16 0	13 8	...	...	...	9 0	8 0	8 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Howrah ...	15 0	15 0	13 8	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	12 8	13 4	13 4	14 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Central Districts.																		
	Calcutta ...	17 10	17 10	15 5	20 0	20 0	18 13	8 0	8 6	7 5	10 8	10 8	14 9	11 8	11 8	20 0	11 7	11 7	20 10
6	24-Pergunnahs ...	16 0	14 8	13 5	20 0	17 8	16 0	8 0	8 8	8 0	...	16 0	16 0	...	...	16 0	...	...	...
7	Nuddea ...	17 4	17 4	14 8	21 5½	21 5½	24 10	11 2	10 10½	12 5	12 5	11 6	13 14	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Khoolna ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	13 0	16 0	14 0	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Jessore ...	13 8	14 0	12 4	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	12 4	16 0	14 0	16 0	...		...	...	...	...
10	Moorshedabad ...	18 0	18 0	17 0	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	12 6	14 0	14 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
11	Dinagepore ...	15 12	15 8	16 0	16 0	16	13 5	10 13	10 12	13 0	14 4	13 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
12	Rajshahye ...	16 14 {16 8 to 17 8}		15 12	21 0	21 0	30 0 {8 0 to 10 12}		10 8	12 0	12 6	12 12	{13 8 to 14 0}	...	...	...	...	...	...
13	Rungpore ...	13 0	13 0	10 0	...	...	...	7 0	7 0	8 10	11 0	11 0	12 0		...	...	...	...	...
14	Bogra ...	13 8	15 0	15 0	...	...	...	9 12	9 0	9 12	12 12	12 0	16 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
15	Pubna ...	18 12	18 12	18 12	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	7 8	14 4	15 0	14 4	....	..	..	...	....	...
16	Darjeeling ...	10 0	10 0	7 0	9 0	...	7 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
17	Julpigoree ...	10 0	10 0	10 0	...	20 0	20 0	10 0	10 0	9 0	12 0	12 0	14 0	...	...	...	...	....	...
	Eastern Districts.																		
18	Dacca ...	18 0	18 0	15 8	16 0	16 0	15 8	11 0	11 0	14 4	14 0	13 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
19	Furreedpore ...	20 0	20 0	22 0	34 0	34 0	30 0	11 0	11 0	12 8	12 0	12 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
20	Backergunge ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12 12	11 8	13 0	14 12	13 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
21	Mymensingh ...	13 4	13 4	12 8	...	...	...	10 4	10 0	10 0	12 8	12 4	13 8	...	...	...	...	...	...

A In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Culna 14 seers, Cutwa 13½ seers, and Ranesxunge 13¾ seers.
B In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 12 to 16 seers per rupee.
C In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 11¼ to 13½ seers per rupee.
D In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Ghattal 14½ seers, Contai 12½ seers.
E In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Serampore 13½ seers and Jehannabad 13½ seers.
F In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Baraset and Bussirhat 13 seers, Barrackpore 12½ seers, and Dum-Dum 12 seers.
G In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kooshtea 13 seers, Meherpore 12 seers, Choondanga 12½ seers, and Ranaghat 12½ seers.
H In the sub-divisions the retail price of salt per rupee was:—Satkhira 11 seers, and Bagirhat 11 seers.
I In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Jhenidah 12 seers, Magoora 10¾ seers, Nawail 12 seers, and Bongong 13 seers.
J In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Lalbagh 11 seers, Jungipore and Kandi 12 seers.

Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 30th November 1884.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 seers. Salt.			DISTRICTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.				Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
																		BENGAL.
																		Western Districts
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 0	20 0	18 6	120 0	120 0	120 0	A 13 0	13 0	12 15	2-14-8	2-14-8	3-0-4	Burdwan.
...	...	...	26 0	28 0	28 0	18 0	17 12	16 0	240 0	240 0	280 0	B 13 0	12 12	12 0	3-1-6	3-2-6	3-3-6	Bankoora.
...	...	...	...	...		16 0	16 0	16 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	C 12 0	12 0	12 0	3-2-6	3-2-6	3 0	Beerbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	155 0	155 0	155 0	D 12 12	12 12	12 8	3 0	3 0	2 14	Midnapore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 8	120 0	120 0	120 0	E 13 9	13 9	13 9	2 14	2 14	2 14	Hooghly.
...	...	..	...	...	...	17 8	17 8	17 0	80 0	80 0	80 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	3 0	3 0	3 0	Howrah.
																		Central Districts.
...	...	...	21 8	21 8	21 5	19 11	19 11	14 0	100 0	100 0	90 0	F 12 13	12 13	13 5	2 12	2 12	2 12	Calcutta.
...	...	...	24 8	22 12	16 0	20 0	17 8	16 0	100 0	90 0	80 0	12 13	12 13	12 4	3 0	3 0	3 5	24-Pergunnahs.
...	...	...	..	..	...	21 5½	21 5½	17 12	...	..	...	G 11 10½	11 10½	11 10	3 0	3 0	3 0	Nuddea.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	200 0	200 0	2 0 0	H 12 0	12 0	10 8	3 2	3 2	3 4	Khoolna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	6 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	I 14 12	14 12	10 12	3 2	3 2	3 10	Jessore.
...	...	..	...	...	..	20 0	20 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	J 12 0	12 0	12 0	3-1-3	3-1-3	...	Moorshedabad.
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	14 8	160 0	160 0	180 0	K 13 0	12 0	11 8	3 4	3 4	3 6	Dinagepore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 4 to 19 4	20 0	18 0	240 0	240	280 0	L 12 12	12 12	12 0	3 0	3 0	3-2-6	Rajshahye.
...	...	...	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	15 0	93 0	93 0	110	M 10 0	10 0	13 5	3 8	4 0	...	Rungpore
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	15	12 0	90 0	80	67 8	12 0	12 0	12 0	3-5-4	3-5-4	3-3-8	Bogra.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 4	15 12	200 0	200	200 0	N 12 6	12 6	12 4	3 1	3 1	3 2	Pubna.
14 0	13 0	13 0	18 0	20 0	16 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	16	160 0	128 0	O 8 0	8 0	8 0	4 4	4 4	4 8	Darjeeling
...	...	..	...	...	...	14 0	16 0	13 0	128 0	128	128	P 12 4	12 4	12 4	3 4	3 4	3 4	Julpigoree.
																		Eastern Districts.
...	...	...	...	..	...	18 0	18 0	18 8	80 0	80 0	97 0	Q 13 0	13 0	12 12	3 0	3 0	3 1	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	20 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	R 12 0	12 0	12 0	3 2	3 2	3 5	Furreedpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 4	16 0	16 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	S 13 0	13 0	13 0	3 2	3 2	2 11	Backergunge.
...	...	...	...	...	..	15 0	15 4	16 0	...	..	..	T 13 8	13 8	13 8	3 3	3 3	3 3	Mymensingh.

K The retail price of salt at Lalgunge was 11½ seers and at Nitpore 10 seers per rupee.
L In the sub-divisions of Nattore and Nowgong the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.
M In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Nilphamari 12 seers, Gaibanda and Kurigram 13 seers.
N In the sub-division of Serajgunge the retail price of salt was 12½ seers per rupee.
O The retail price of salt at Kurseong was 8 seers, and at Siliguri 11 seers per rupee.
P The retail price of salt at Falmootta in the Alipur sub-division was 10 seers per rupee.
Q In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Moonshigunge 10⅔ seers, and Naraingunge 14 seers.
R In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Goalundo 13 seers, and Madaripur 12 seers.
S In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Patuakhali 10⅔ seers, and Perozepore 11 seers.
T In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kishoregunge 10⅔ seers, Attia 12 seers, and Jamalpore 11½ seers.

RETAIL SALE :—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY THE

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM JOWAR.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	Eastern Districts.—Concluded.																		
		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
22	Chittagong ...	15 0	15 0	11 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	13 0	16 0	16 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
23	Noakholly ...	...	...	...	...	...		13 0	13 0	16 0	14 0	14 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
24	Tipperah ...	12 0	14 8	13 0	...	...	...	12 8	12 8	15 4	19 14	13 10	18 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
25	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 0	10 10	12 4	12 0	11 13	13 14	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah	12 0	12 0	10 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	14 0	18 0	14 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	BEHAR.																		
26	Patna ...	24 0	20 8	20 0	32 0	20 15	20 0	10 8	9 12	13 0	18 0	16 8	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
27	Gya ...	17 12	17 12	17 0	22 0	18 0	21 0	8 12	8 4	10 8	14 8	13 0	13 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
28	Shahabad ...	18 0 to 19 0	18 0 to 19 0	17 0	22 0	21 0	28 8	8 0 to 9 0	8 0	10 0	12 0 to 13 0	12 0	13 8	...	...	24 0	23 0	...	24 0
29	Durbhunga ...	18 12	18 12	15 0	22 0	19 12	22 0	11 0 to 15 6	9 10	11 8	13 4 to 17 10	12 6	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
30	Mozufferpore ...	18 0	17 0	18 0	26 0	26 0	25 0	11 0	11 0	10 0	16 0	16 0	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
31	Sarun ...	20 8	20 0	16 0	23 0	25 0	22 0	8 0	8 0	9 0	16 8	13 0	13 0	...	...	...	35 0	27 0	21 0
32	Chumparun ...	16 8	16 0	18 0	...	...	31 0	12 0	12 0	10 0	18 0	17 0	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
33	Monghyr ...	23 1	19 15	17 13	22 0	18 14	21 0	10 8	10 8	10 9	14 12	12 1	12 9	...	...	...	...	...	...
34	Bhagulpore ...	19 9	19 9	15 2	20 3	20 3	24 0	10 11	10 11	11 15	13 14	13 14	13 14	...	...	...	...	...	...
35	Purneah ...	16 0	16 0	14 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	14 0	16 0	14 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
36	Maldah ...	20 0	19 8	18 0	...	...	...	10 12	10 0	12 0	12 4	12 0	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
37	Sonthal Pergs.	16 0	15 0	13 0	...	...	...	12 0	11 0	12 0	15 0	15 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	ORISSA.																		
38	Cuttack ...	21 0	21 0	14 7	...	...	...	13 2	13 2	13 2	18 6*	17 1	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
39	Pooree ...	15 12	14 7	9 3	...	...	...	11 13	11 13	14 7	19 0	15 12	19 11	...	...	...	...	...	...
40	Balasore ...	15 0	18 0	14 0	11 0	11 0	...	13 0	13 0	11 0	24 0	21 8	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE *South-Western Frontier Agency.*																		
41	Hazareebagh ...	15 0	15 8	15 0	...	15 0	...	12 0	11 8	9 0	18 0	17 0	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
42	Lohardugga ...	14 0	15 0	14 0	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	14 0	21 0	20 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
43	Singbhoom ...	18 0	18 0	16 0	20 0	20 0	24 0	20 0	20 0	22 0	24 0	24 0	28 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
44	Manbhoom ...	13 8	13 0	13 0	14 0	...	...	...	15 0	14 0	22 0	21 0	21 8	...	...	...	...	...	...

* In the interior the retail price of rice, common, ranged from 17 seers 1 chittack to 26½ seers per rupee.
U The retail price of salt at Cox's Bazar was 10 seers per rupee.
V In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 9 to 12½ seers per rupee.
W In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Brahmanbariah 13 seers, and Chandpore 12½ seers.
X The retail price of salt in the Aurangabad sub-division was 11 seers per rupee.
Y In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Buxar and Sasseram 12 seers, and Bhabbuah 11 seers.
Z In the sub-division of Tajpore the retail price of salt was 11½ seers per rupee
Z1 In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 10 to 12½ seers per rupee.
Z2 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Sewan 12½ seers and Gopalgunge 12 seers.

SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena			Maize or Indian-corn			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 seers. Salt.			Districts.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		Eastern Districts.—Concluded
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	13 0	15 0	13 0	120 0	120 0	40 0	18 0 U	11 0	11 0	2 14	3 8	3 4	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	12 0	...	...	...	10 0 V	10 0	10 0	3 6	3 6	3 6	Noakholly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 10	15 10	18 0	...	...	...	12 0 W	12 0	12 0	3 3	3 4	3 5	Tipperah.
...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	320 0	320 0	320 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 8	4 8	...	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	14 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Hill Tipperah.
																		BEHAR.
...	...	...	32 0	30 0	32 0	27 0	21 0	25 0	100 0	114 0	130 0	12 0	12 0	11 0	3 0	3 0	3 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	22 0	20 0	19 0	200 0	200 0	160 0	11 0 X	11 0	11 0	3 5	3 5	3 5	Gya.
...	...	...	24 0	22 0	...	22 0	20 0	19 0 to 20 0	140 0	140 0	120 0	12 8 Y	12 4	12 8	3 1	3 1	3 1	Shahabad.
27 8	28 0	24 0	28 10	28 12	28 0	30 15	21 4	19 8	176 0	198 0	160 0	12 15 Z	13 3	13 6	3 6	3-3-6	3-1-6	Durbhunga.
...	...	...	29 0	30 0	23 0	20 0	20 0	21 0	140 0	140 0	140 0	12 0 Z1	12 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Mozufferpore.
20 0	24 0	27 0	29 8	28 0	21 0	22 0	21 0	20 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	12 4 Z2	12 0	11 0	3-2-9	3 2	3 5	Sarun.
...	...	...	32 0	31 0	28 0	17 0	17 0	23 0	...	...	...	12 0 Z3	12 0	11 8	3 4	3 4	3 6	Chumparun.
...	...	...	33 9	33 9	22 0	25 2	23 1	19 15	126 0	126 0	126 0	13 1 Z4	13 2	12 1	2 13	2-14-6	3-2-5	Monghyr.
...	...	...	34 0	30 4	21 7	22 11	21 7	20 13	164 0	164 0	151 8	12 10 Z5	12 10	12 10	2 14	3 0	3 0	Bhagulpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	16 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	... Z6	10 12	11 0	...	3 10	3 12	Purneah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	18 0	160 0	190 0	160 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Maldah.
...	...	...	33 0	32 0	24 0	17 0	16 0	16 0	200 0	200 0	200 0	11 8	11 0	11 12	3-5-6	3 8	2 2	Sonthal Pergns.
																		ORISSA.
15 12	15 12	15 12	...	...	...	23 10	22 5	21 0	80 0	80 0	80 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	2 12	2 12	2 12	Cuttack.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 1	17 2	17 1	100 0	100 0	100 0	14 7 Z7	16 0	13 3	2 8	2 7	2 12	Pooree.
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	16 0	14 0	120 0	120 0	160 0	10 12 Z8	11 0	9 0	3 6	3 6	4 0	Balasore
																		CHOTA NAGPORE, *South-Western Frontier Agency*
27 0	27 0	24 0	24 0	24 0	18 0	17 8	17 0	18 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	10 0 Z9	10 0	10 8	3-7-3	3-7-3	3 9	Hazaresbagh.
40 0	44 0	32 0	20 0	24 0	26 0	16 0	15 0	14 0	120 0	120 0	100 0	11 0	10 0	10 0	3 6	3 10	3 10	Lohardugga.
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	20 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	9 0	9 0	8 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	Singbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	15 0	240 0	240 0	120 0	11 10 Z10	11 10	10 12	3 4	3 3	3 8	Manbhoom.

Z3 In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 10 to 13 seers per rupee.
Z4 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Begusarai 11 seers, and Jamui 11½ seers.
Z5 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Banka 11 seers, Madhupura 10½ seers, and Sooppoo 10 seers.
Z6 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were.—Kissengunge 10 seers and at Ramgunge in the Arrareah sub-division 11 seers.
Z7 The retail price of salt at Khoorda was 14 seers per rupee.
Z8 The retail price of salt at Bhadrack was 8 seers per rupee.
Z9 The retail price of salt at Chatra was 11 seers and at Kharruckdiha 12 seers per rupee.
Z10 The retail price of salt at Ragunathpore was 12 seers, and at Buria Bazar 11 seers per rupee.

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PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD, AND SALT IN THE DISTRICTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 15TH DECEMBER 1884.

RETAIL SALE:—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY

Number.	DISTRICTS.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice, best sort.			Rice, common.			Bulrush Millet Cumboo, Bajra.			Great Millet—Cholum. Jowar.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL.																		
	Western Districts.	S. Ch.	S Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S Ch	S. Ch.	S. Ch	S. Ch.	S.Ch
1	Burdwan ...	16 0	16 0	15 8	27 0	28 0	20 0	11 8	11 8	12 12	16 0	16 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
2	Bankoora ...	15 8	15 0	14 8	16 0	16 0	17 0	14 8	14 12	14 0	17 0	16 12	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	Beerbhoom ...	16 0	16 8	15 0	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	15 0	16 0	16 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
4	Midnapore ...	14 0	12 0	12 0	20 0	20 0	15 0	14 0	14 0	11 8	16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
5	Hooghly ...	16 0	16 0	14 0	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	8 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Howrah ...	15 4	15 0	13 8	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	12 8	14 8	13 4	14 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Central Districts.																		
	Calcutta ...	16 0	17 10	12 0	20 0	20 0	16 0	8 4	8 0	7 0	10 8	10 8	11 0	13 0	11 8	16 0	11 7	11 7	20 0
6	24-Pergunnahs ...	16 0	16 0	13 5	18 0	20 0	16 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	20 0	20 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	16 0
7	Nuddea ...	17 4	17 4	15 4	22 15	21 5½	...	12 18	11 2	12 5	13 14	12 5	13 14	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Khoolna ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	13 0	12 0	16 0	16 0	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Jessore ...	13 0	13 8	13 5	...	...	...	11 8	11 0	11 8	16 0	16 0	14 6	...	...	...	...	...	...
10	Moorshedabad ...	17 0	18 0	16 0	...	...	...	12 0	10 0	12 0	16 0	14 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
11	Dinagepore ...	16 12	15 12	15 8	16 12	16 0	15 8	13 8	10 13	13 0	18 0	13 4	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
12	Rajshahye ...	16 8 to 17 4	16 14	15 12 to 16 8	19 8	21 0	20 4	14 0* to 15 0	8 0 to 10 12	10 8 to 10 12	16 8* to 17 4	12 6	13 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
13	Rungpore ...	13 0	13 0	10 0	...	...	...	7 0	7 0	8 10	11 0	11 0	13 5	...	...	...	...	...	...
14	Bogra ...	13 8	13 8	15 0	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	9 12	17 4*	12 12	16 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
15	Pubna ...	17 12	18 12	18 12	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	7 8	14 4	14 4	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
16	Darjeeling ...	10 0	10 0	7 0	7 0	9 0	7 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	12 0	11 0	11 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
17	Julpigoree ...	11 0	10 0	10 0	...	...	20 0	11 0	10 0	9 0	16 0*	12 0	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Eastern Districts.																		
18	Dacca ...	14 8	18 0	14 8	22 0	16 0	15 0	15 0*	11 0	12 0	16 0	14 0	13 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
19	Furreedpore ...	20 0	20 0	22 0	34 0	34 0	30 0	11 0	11 0	12 8	12 0	12 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
20	Backergunge ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 4	12 12	13 0	18 0*	14 12	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
21	Mymensingh ...	13 0	13 4	12 8	...	...	...	10 0	10 4	10 0	12 4	12 8	14 8	...	...	...	...	...	...

* The supply of new rice now coming into the market has caused the fall in price.

A In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Culna 14 seers, Cutwa 12 seers, and Raneegunge 18¾ seers.

B The retail price of salt ranged in the interior from 12 to 16 seers per rupee.

B1 The retail price of salt in the interior ranged from 11¼ to 13½ seers per rupee.

B2 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Ghattal 14½ seers and Contai 12½ seers.

C In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Serampore 13 seers and Jehannabad 13½ seers.

D In the sub divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Baraset and Bussirhat 13 seers, Barrackpore 12½ seers, and Dum-Dum 12 seers.

E In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kooshtea 13 seers, Meherpore 12 seers, Chooadanga 12½ seers, and Ranaghat 11¼ seers.

F In the sub-divisions of Satkhira and Bagirhat the retail price of salt was 11 seers per rupee.

G In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Jhenidah and Nanail 12 seers, Magoora 10½ seers, and Bongong 13 seers.

Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 15th December 1884.

THE SEER OF 80 TOLAHS.

Lesser Millet—Rágí or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per maund of 40 seers. Salt.			DISTRICTS
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Nett preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		BENGAL.
																		Western Districts
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 0	18 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	A 13 5	13 0	13 0	2-14-0	2-14-8	2-15-0	Burdwan.
...	...	...	26 0	26 0	22 0	18 0	18 0	17 0	240 0	240 0	280 0	B 13 0	13 0	12 0	3 0	3-1 6	3-3-6	Bankoora.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	B1 12 0	12 0	12 0	3-2-6	3-2-6	3-2-6	Beerbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	15 0	155 0	155 0	145 0	B2 12 12	12 12	12 8	3 0	3 0	2 14	Midnapore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	C 13 9	13 9	13 9	2 14	2 14	2 14	Hooghly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 8	17 8	17 0	80 0	80 0	80 0	13 0	13 0	13 0	3 0	3 0	3 0	Howrah.
																		Central Districts.
...	...	...	21 10	21 8	18 0	19 11	19 11	12 0	100 0	100 0	90 0	D 12 13	12 13	11 0	3 0	2 12	2 12	Calcutta.
...	...	...	21 4	24 8	16 0	18 4	20 0	16 0	100 0	100 0	80 0	12 13	12 13	12 13	3 0	3 0	3 0	24-Pergunnahs.
...	...	...	...	...	...	21 5½	21 5½	16 13	...	...	...	E 11 10½	11 10½	11 10½	3 0	3 0	3 0	Nuddea.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	200 0	200 0	2 0 0	F 12 0	12 0	10 8	3 2	3 2	3 4	Khoolna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	G 11 8	11 12	10 12	3 2	3 2	3 2	Jessore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	20 0	20 0	18 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	H 12 0	12 0	10 10	3-1-3	3-1-3	3 2	Moorshedabad.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	14 0	15 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	I 12 8	12 0	12 0	3 2	3 4	3 4	Dinagepore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	18 0 to 19 8	17 4 to 19 4	16 8	240 0	240 0	240 0	J 12 12	12 12	12 0	3 0	3 0	3-2-6	Rajshahye.
...	...	...	...	...	...	9 12	9 12	15 0	110 0	93 0	110 0	K 10 0	10 0	11 14	4 0	3 8	3 5	Rungpore
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	13 8	90 0	90 0	67 8	12 0	12 0	12 0	3-5-4	3-5-4	3-2-8	Bogra.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	15 12	200 0	200 0	200 0	L 12 6	12 6	12 4	3 1	3 1	3 2	Pubna.
13 0	14 0	13 0	24 0	18 0	16 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	160 0	160 0	128 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	4 4	4 4	4 8	Darjeeling
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	14 0	13 0	126 0	128 0	128 0	12 4	12 4	12 4	3 4	3 4	3 4	Julpigoree.
																		Eastern Districts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	18 0	17 8	120 0	80 0	97 0	M 13 5	13 0	12 10	3 0	3 0	3 2	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	16 0	20 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	N 12 0	12 0	12 0	3 2	3 2	3 5	Furreedpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	16 4	16 4	17 0	120 0	120 0	120 0	O 13 0	13 0	13 0	...	3 2	2 11	Backergunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	15 0	16 0	...	...	...	P 12 12	12 8	12 4	3 2	3 3	3 4	Mymensingh.

H In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Lalbagh 11 seers, Jungipore and Kandi 12 seers.
I The retail price of salt at Rangunge was 11½ seers and at Nitpore 10 seers per rupee.
J In the sub-divisions of Nattore and Nowgong the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.
K In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kurigram and Gaibanda 13 seers, and Nilphamari 12 seers.
L The retail price of salt at Serajgunge was 12½ seers per rupee.
M In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Manickgunge 12 seers, Moonshigunge 10 seers and 10½ chittacks, and Naraingunge 14 seers.
N In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Goalundo 13 seers, and Madaripur 12 seers.
O In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Patuakhali 10½ seers, Perozepore 11 seers, and Bhola 10½ seers.
P In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 10½ to 13½ seers per rupee.

PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood and Salt in the

RETAIL SALE :—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY THE

Number.	DISTRICTS.	Wheat.			Barley.			Rice, best sort.			Rice, common.			Bulrush Millet—Cumboo, Bajra.			Great Millet—Cholum Jowar.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	Eastern Districts.—Concluded.																		
		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
22	Chittagong ...	15 0	15 0	11 0	...	...	...	14 0	13 0	13 0	18 0	16 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
23	Noakholly ...	...	...	...	...	...	..	14 0	13 0	16 0	15 0	14 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
24	Tipperah ...	12 4	12 0	13 4	...	...	...	13 0	12 8	16 0	19 14	19 14	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
25	Chittagong Hill Tracts.*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11 0	11 7	...	12 0	13 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Hill Tipperah	12 0	12 0	10 0	...	...	...	13 0	12 0	14 0	19 0	18 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	BEHAR.																		
26	Patna ...	22 0	24 0	18 8	32 0	32 0	25 8	10 8	10 8	12 0	21 0	18 0	13 0	..	...	...	...	...	...
27	Gya ...	17 8	17 12	17 0	22 0	22 0	20 0	8 8	8 12	11 0	14 0	14 8	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
28	Shahabad ...	18 0 to 19 0	18 0 to 19 0	16 0 to 18 0	24 0	22 0	23 0	8 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 9 0	9 0	13 0 to 14 0	12 0 to 13 0	13 0 to 14 0	24 0	...	23 0	...	23 0	22 0
29	Durbhunga ...	19 14	18 12	15 0	26 0	22 0	22 0	12 9 New / 9 15 Old	15 6 New / 11 0 Old	11 8	16 2 New / 13 1 Old	17 10 New / 13 4 Old	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
30	Mozufferpore ...	20 0	18 0	18 0	23 0	26 0	25 0	11 0	11 0	9 0	16 0	16 0	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
31	Saran ...	20 8	20 0	17 0	23 0	23 0	23 0	8 4	8 0	9 0	18 0	16 8	13 8	...	...	...	35 0	35 0	23 0
32	Chumparun ...	16 0	16 8	18 0	20 0	...	...	12 0	12 0	10 0	16 8	18 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
33	Monghyr ...	23 1	23 1	17 13	16 13	22 0	21 0	10 8	10 8	11 0	15 12	14 12	12 9	...	...	...	...	...	...
34	Bhagulpore ...	20 12	19 9	15 12	20 3	20 3	20 3	10 11	10 11	11 14	13 14	13 14	13 14	...	...	...	...	...	...
35	Purneah ...	17 0	16 0	14 0	...	...	...	13 0	12 0	15 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
36	Maldah ...	19 0	20 0	18 0	...	...	...	11 0	10 12	12 0	14 0	12 4	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
37	Sonthal Pergs.	16 0	16 0	14 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	12 0	15 8	15 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	ORISSA.																		
38	Cuttack ...	21 0	21 0	13 2	...	...	...	13 2	13 2	13 2	18 6†	18 6	18 6	...	...	...	...	...	...
39	Pooree ...	17 1	15 12	10 8	...	...	...	13 2	11 13	14 7	17 1	19 0	19 11	...	...	...	...	...	...
40	Balasore ...	15 9	15 0	14 0	11 0	11 0	...	13 0	13 0	16 0	22 0	24 0	21 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	CHOTA NAGPORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*																		
41	Hazareebagh ...	15 8	15 0	15 0	....	...	...	12 0	12 0	9 0	18 0	18 0	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
42	Lohardugga ...	14 0	14 0	14 0	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	15 0	21 0	21 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
43	Singbhoom ...	18 0	18 0	16 0	20 0	20 0	24 0	20 0	20 0	22 0	24 0	24 0	28 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
44	Manbhoom ...	14 0	13 8	14 0	...	..	...	14 0	...	14 0	22 0	22 0	20 8	...	...	...	...	...	...

* Return not received.
† In the interior the retail price of common rice ranged from 22 seers 5 chittack to 26¼ seers per rupee.
Q The retail price of salt at Cox's Bazar was 10 seers per rupee.
R In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 9 to 12½ seers per rupee.
S In the Aurangabad sub division the retail price of salt was 11 seers per rupee.
T In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Buxar and Sasseram 12 seers, and Bhabbuah 11 seers.
U In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Tajpore 11½ seers and Madhubani 11 seers.
V In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 10 to 12½ seers per rupee.

of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 15th December 1884.—(Concld.)

SEER OF 80 TOLAS.

Lesser Millet—Kast or Muowa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Wholesale Prices per Maund of 40 seers. Salt.			Districts.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
																		Eastern Districts.—Concluded
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	13 0	13 0	120 0	120 0	40 0	13 0 Q	13 0	11 0	2 14	2 14	3 4	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	8 0	11 0	12 0	..	...	...	10 0 R	10 0	10 0	3 6	3 6	3 6	Noakholly.
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 10	15 10	16 0	...	...	...	12 4	12 0	12 0	3 3	3 3	3 4	Tipperah.
...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	320 0	320 0	...	8 0	8 0	...	4 8	4 8	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
...	...	...	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	14 0	...	...	...	11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Hill Tipperah.
																		BEHAR.
...	...	...	32 0	32 0	30 0	26 4	27 0	23 4	100 0	100 0	112 0	12 0	12 0	11 0	3 0	3 0	3 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	21 0	23 0	21 0	200 0	200 0	180 0	11 0 S	11 0	11 0	3 5	3 5	3 5	Gya.
...	...	...	28 0	24 0	...	22 0	22 0	20 0	140 0	140 0	120 0	12 8 T	12 8	12 8	3 1	3 1	3 1	Shahabad.
28 0	27 8	22 0	30 14	28 10	22 0	21 3	20 15	22 0	220 0	176 0	160 0	12 1 U	12 15	12 0	3-0-6	3-0-6	3-1-6	Durbhunga.
...	...	...	30 0	29 0	23 0	20 0	20 0	21 0	140 0	140 0	140 0	12 0 V	12 0	12 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Mozufferpore.
23 0	20 0	28 0	33 0	29 8	22 8	22 8	22 0	20 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	12 0 W	12 4	11 0	3 2-0	3-2-9	3-4-0	Sarun.
...	...	...	32 0	32 0	8 0	18 0	17 0	23 0	...	...	...	13 0 X	2 0	1 12	3 4	3 4	3 5	Chumparun.
...	...	...	35 12	38 9	23 1	24 2	25 2	21 0	126 0	126 0	126 0	13 2 Y	3 1	12 1	2 13-3	2-13-0	3-2-5	Monghyr.
...	...	...	32 12	34 0	21 7	24 0	22 11	20 13	151 8	164 0	151 8	12 10 Z	12 10	12 10	3 0	2-14-0	3 0	Bhagulpore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	15 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	10 0 Z1	...	11 0	3 10	...	...	Purneah.
...	...	...	...	...	...	19 0	16 0	16 0	180 0	160 0	160 0	12 0	12 0	11 0	3 4	3 4	3 4	Maldah.
...	...	...	30 0	33 0	22 8	17 8	17 0	15 8	200 0	200 0	200 0	11 8 Z2	11 8	11 8	3-5 6	3-5-6	3-4-6	Sonthal Pergns.
																		ORISSA.
17 1	15 12	15 12	...	...	...	21 0	23 10	15 12	80 0	80 0	80 0	14 0	14 0	14 0	2 12	2 12	2 12	Cuttack.
...	...	...	...	...	...	19 11	17 1	18 6	100 0	100 0	100 0	16 0	14 7	13 3	2 7	2 8	2 12	Pooree.
...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	15 0	13 0	120 0	120 0	160 0	10 12 Z3	10 12	10 0	3 6	3 6	3 14	Balasore.
																		CHOTA NAGPORE, *South-Western Frontier Agency.*
25 0	27 0	24 0	24 0	24 0	8 0	17 8	17 8	16 0	240 0	240 0	240 0	11 0	10 0	11 0	3-4-9	3-7-3	3 8	Hazareebagh.
40 0	40 0	32 0	18 0	20 0	24 0	15 0	16 0	14 0	120 0	120 0	100 0	11 0	11 0	10 0	3 6	3 6	3 10	Lohardugga.
...	...	...	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	20 0	160 0	160 0	160 0	9 0	9 0	8 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	Singbhoom.
...	...	...	...	...	...	17 0	17 0	15 0	240 0	240 0	120 0	10 8	10 10	10 0	3 8	3 4	3 8	Manbhoom.

W In the sub-division of Gopalgunge the retail price of salt was 19 seers per rupee.
X The retail price of salt in the interior ranged from 10 to 13 seers per rupee.
Y In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Banka and Sooppie 11 seers, and Madhupura 10½ seers.
Z In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Begusarai 11 seers, and Jamui 11½ seers.
Z1 In the sub-divisions of Kissengunge and Arraieah the retail price of salt was 10 seers per rupee.
Z2 In the sub-division of Rajmehal the retail price of salt was 12½ seers per rupee.
Z3 The retail price of salt at Bhadrack was 8 seers per rupee.

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PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD, AND SALT IN THE DISTRICTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 31ST DECEMBER 1884.

RETAIL SALE:—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY, &c.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET (CUMBOO, BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM JOWAR.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	BENGAL.																		
	Western Districts.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
1	Burdwan	16 0	16 0	15 4	35 0	27 0	20 0	11 8	11 8	12 0	16 15	16 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
2	Bankoora	15 8	15 8	15 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	15 0	14 8	15 8	17 0	17 0	18 12	...	...	...	...	...	...
3	Beerbhoom	16 0	16 0	15 0	...	...	12 0	13 0	14 0	15 0	17 4	16 0	17 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
4	Midnapore	14 0	14 0	12 0	20 0	20 0	15 0	14 0	14 0	14 8	20 0	18 0	18 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
5	Hooghly	17 0	16 0	14 0	...	...	...	9 0	9 0	8 0	14 0	13 0	13 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Howrah	15 8	15 4	13 8	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	12 8	14 8	14 8	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Central Districts.																		
	Calcutta	16 4	16 0	13 8	18 9	20 0	19 8	8 8	8 6	7 0	11 6	10 8	11 0	18 0	13 0	16 0	11 7	11 7	20 0
6	24-Pergunnahs	18 0	16 0	13 8	19 12	18 0	16 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	16 0	20 0	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
7	Nuddea	17 4	17 4	16 0	21 5½	22 15	24 8	13 13	13 13	13 5½	13 4	13 4	15 4	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Khoolna	...	...	...	...	...	...	16 0	14 0	13 0	18 0	16 0	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Jessore	13 8	13 0	14 0	...	...	...	11 8	11 8	13 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
10	Moorshedabad	17 0	17 0	16 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	14 4	16 0	16 0	17 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
11	Dinagepore	17 0	16 12	16 0	16 0	16 12	15 0	15 6	13 8	13 4	16 13	18 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
12	Rajahahye	14 4 to 18 0	16 8 to 17 4	16 0 to 17 4	19 11	19 8	24 0	13 8	14 0 to 15 0	10 14	15 12	16 8 to 17 4	18 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
13	Rungpore	11 14	13 0	10 0	...	...	...	8 0	7 0	10 0	9 8	11 0	13 5	...	...	...	...	...	...
14	Bogra	13 0	13 8	15 0	...	...	...	10 8	9 12	9 12	17 4	17 4	16 8	...	...	...	...	...	...
15	Pubna	18 12	17 12	18 0	...	...	...	8 4	8 4	8 0	15 0	14 4	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
16	Darjeeling	20 0	10 0	7 0	9 0	7 0	7 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	12 0	12 0	10 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
17	Julpigoree	15 0	11 0	10 0	13 0	...	20 0	14 0	11 0	12 0	18 0	16 0	19 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Eastern Districts.																		
18	Dacca	18 0	14 8	15 0	26 0	22 0	15 4	16 0	15 0	12 4	18 0	16 0	14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
19	Furreedpore	20 0	20 0	22 0	34 0	34 0	30 0	11 0	11 0	14 0	12 0	12 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
20	Backergunge	...	...	...	...	...	...	13 4	13 4	13 0	18 0	18 0	16 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
21	Mymensingh	18 0	13 0	13 8	...	...	...	10 0	10 0	9 0	12 4	12 4	15 0	...	...	...	...	...	...

A In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Culna and Cutwa 14 seers, and Raneegunge 13½ seers.
B In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 12 to 16 seers per rupee.
C In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 11½ to 13½ seers per rupee.
D In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Ghattal 14½ seers and Contai 12½ seers.
E In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Serampore 13 seers and Jehanabad 13½ seers.
F In the sub divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Baraset and Bussirhat 13 seers, Barrackpore 12½ seers, and Dum-Dum 12 seers.
G In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kooshtea 13 seers, Meherpore and Chooadanga 12 seers, and Ranaghat 11½ seers.
H In the sub-divisions the retail price of salt per rupee was:—Sathhira and Bagirhat 11 seers.
I In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Jhenidah 14 seers, Magoora 10½ seers, and Bongong 18 seers.
J In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Lalbagh 11 seers, Jungipore 12½ seers, and Kandi 12 seers.
K The retail price of salt at Raigunge was 8 seers and at Nitpore 10 seers per rupee.

Districts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 31st Decemb r 1884.

SALT.			WHOLESALE PRIC S PER MAUND OF 40 SEERS			AVERAGE WAGES PER MONTH									DISTRI TS.
			SALT.			ABLE-BODIED AGRICULTURAL LABOURER.			SYCE OR HORSE-KEEPER.			COMMON MASON CARPENTER, OR BLACKSMITH.			
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
															BENGAL.
															Western Districts.
S. Ch	S. Ch	S. Ch.	Rs. A. P.	Rs A. P.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
A 13 5	13 5	13 5	3 0 0	2 14 0	2 14 9	7 0	9 6	9 6	6 0	6 8	6 8	10 0 to 15 0	10 0 to 15 0	10 0 to 15 0	Burdwan.
B 13 0	13 0	12 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 3 6	6 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 9 0	6 0 to 10 0	4 8 to 7 8	4 8 to 6 8	4 8 to 7 8	7 8 to 15 0	7 8 to 12 0	7 8 to 15 0	Bankoora.
C 12 0	12 0	12 0	3 2 6	3 2 6	3 2 6	4 0	4 0	4 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	8 0 to 10 0	9 0	9 0	Beerbhoom.
D 13 13	12 12	12 8	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 14 0	5 10	5 10	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 8	7 8 to 11 4	7 8 to 11 4	7 8 to 10 0	Midnapore.
E 13 9	13 9	13 9	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 14 0	..	6 0 to 8 0	8 0	..	6 0 to 7 0	7 0	..	10 0 to 30 0	10 0 to 20 0	Hooghly.
13 0	13 0	13 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 8	6 8	6 8	14 0	14 0	14 0	Howrah
															Central Districts.
13 4	12 13	11 10	3 12 0	3 0 0	3 12 0	12 0	12 0	15 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	12 0	12 0	12 0	Calcutta.
F 12 13	12 13	12 13	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	10 0	10 0	10 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	15 0 to 20 0	15 0 to 21 0	15 0 to 20 0	24-Pergunnahs.
G 11 10½	11 10½	11 10½	3 2 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	7 8 to 15 0	7 0 to 15 0	7 8 to 15 0	Nuddea.
H 12 0	12 0	10 8	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 4 0	9 0 to 12 0	9 0 to 12 0	9 0 to 11 0	6 0 to 8 0	6 0 to 8 0	6 0 to 8 0	10 0 to 16 0	10 0 to 15 0	10 0 to 16 0	Khoolna.
I 11 12	11 8	10 12	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	13 0	15 0	15 0	Jessore.
J 12 0	12 0	10 10	3 [illegible] 3	3 1 3	3 3 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	Moorshedabad.
K 12 8	12 8	12 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 4 0	0 to 7 8	7 8	6 0 to 7 8	6 0 to 8 0	7 0	6 0 to 8 0	8 0 to 15 0	15 0	8 0 to 20 0	Dinagepore.
L 12 12	12 12	12 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 2 6	...	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	...	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	..	10 0 to 14 0	10 0 to 14 0	Rajshahye.
M 10 0	10 0	11 14	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 5 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 0 to 7 0	6 0 to 7 0	6 0 to 7 0	12 0 to 15 0	12 0 to 15 0	12 0 to 15 0	Rungpore.
12 0	12 0	12 0	3 5 4	3 5 4	3 2 8	5 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 0 to 7 0	10 0 to 15 0	10 0 to 15 0	Bogra.
N 12 8	12 6	12 6	3 1 0	3 1 0	3 2 0	5 0 to 7 8	5 0 to 6 0	7 8	4 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 7 8	5 0 to 7 0	15 0 to 22 0	10 0 to 20 0	10 0 to 20 0	Pubna.
8 0	8 0	8 0	4 8 0	4 4 0	4 8 0	7 0	7 0	7 0	7 0 to 9 0	7 0 to 9 0	7 0 to 9 0	15 0 to 25 0	15 0 to 25 0	15 0 to 25 0	Darjeeling
O 12 4	12 4	12 4	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	..	7 0	7 8	...	7 0	8 0	[illegible]	15 0 to 20 0	20 0 to 30 0	Jalpigoree.
															Eastern Districts.
P 13 5	13 5	12 10	.....	3 0 0	3 2 0	5 0 to 7 0	6 0 to 7 8	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 8 0	5 0 to 8 0	4 0 to 8 0	8 0 to 20 0	8 0 to 20 0	8 0 to 25 0	Dacca.
Q 12 0	12 0	12 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 5 0	7 0	7 8	8 8	7 0	7 0	7 8	12 0 to 15 0	12 0 to 15 0	15 0	Furreedpore.
R 13 0	13 0	13 0	3 2 0	....	2 11 0	7 8	7 8	7 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	8 0 to 15 0	8 0 to 15 0	8 0 to 15 0	Backergunge.
S 12 8	12 12	12 4	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 4 0	8 0 to 11 0	8 0 to 11 0	8 to 9 0	6 0 to 7 0	6 0 to 7 0	6 0	15 0 to 30 0	15 0 to 30 0	12 0 to 30 0	Mymensingh.

L In the sub divisions of Naitore and Nowgong the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.
M In the sub division of Nipharnari the retail price of salt was 12 seers per rupee.
N The retail price of salt at Sirajgunge was 18 seers per rupee
O The retail price of salt at Falacott in the Alipore sub division was 10 seers per rupee.
P In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Munickgunge 14 seers, Moonshigunge 10 seers and 10½ chittacks, and Naraingunge 13 seers.
Q In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Goalundo 14 seers, and Madaripur 12 seers
R In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Paruakhali 10⅝ seers, Perozepore 11 seers, and Bhola 10½ seers.
S In the sub divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were :—Kishoreegunge 11⅝ seers, Atia 12 seers, Jamalpore 11½ seers, and Nasirabad 12 1/16 seers.

RETAIL SALE :—QUANTITIES PER RUPEE BY THE

Number.	DISTRICTS.	WHEAT			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO. BAJRA.			GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM JOWAR.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	Eastern Districts.—Concluded.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
22	Chittagong ...	15 0	15 0	11 0	...	...	...	14 0	14 0	12 0	17 0	18 0	17 0	..	....	....	....	....	....
23	Noakholly ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15 0	14 0	16 0	16 0	15 0	18 0	....	....	....	....	....	....
24	Tipperah ...	12 4	12 4	13 5	...	...	...	14 0	13 0	16 0	20 0	19 4	19 0	....	....	....	....	....	....
25	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	.	.	...	...	...	...	11 6	11 6	13 14	12 4	12 4	16 0	....	....	....	....	....	....
	Hill Tipperah	12 0	12 0	10 0	...	...	...	13 0	13 0	14 0	18 0	19 0	19 0	....	....	....	....	....	....
	BEHAR.																		
26	Patna ..	22 0	22 0	20 0	32 0	32 0	18 0	10 8	10 8	10 10	21 0	21 0	18 0	..	....	....	....	....	....
27	Gya ...	18 12	17 8	16 0	22 0	22 0	20 0	8 12	8 8	10 8	14 0	14 0	14 0	....	....	....	....	....	....
28	Shahabad .	19 0 to 20 0	18 0 to 19 0	16 0 to 17 0	23 0	24 0	22 8	9 0	8 0 to 10 0	9 0	18 0 to 14 0	13 0 to 14 0	13 0 to 14 0	...	24 0	23 0	....	....	....
								New	New		New	New							
29	Durbhunga ...	19 14	19 14	14 0	27 8	26 0	22 0	14 8	12 9	12 0	16 8	16 2	14 9	....	....	....	....	....	....
30	Muzufferpore ...	20 0	20 0	17 0	28 0	28 0	25 0	14 0	11 0	9 0	16 0	16 0	12 0	..	....	....	....	....	....
31	Sarun ...	19 4	20 8	17 8	28 0	28 0	24 0	8 4	8 4	9 0	18 8	18 0	14 0	....	....	....	38 0	35 0	23 0
32	Chumparun ...	16 0	16 0	17 0	20 0	20 0	...	14 0	12 0	10 0	17 0	16 8	15 12	....	....	....	....	....	....
33	Mongbyr ...	23 1	23 1	17 13	21 0	16 13	21 0	10 8	10 8	11 9	14 11	15 12	13 10	....	....	....	....	....	....
34	Bhagulpore ...	21 2	20 12	16 6	20 3	20 3	20 3	11 0	10 11	11 6	13 14	13 14	13 14	....	....	....	....	....	....
35	Purneah ..	18 0	17 0	14 0	...	...	...	15 0	13 0	15 0	16 0	16 0	16 0	....	....	....	....	....	....
36	Maldah ..	20 0	19 0	20 0	...	...	...	12 0	11 0	12 8	15 0	14 0	13 8	....	....	....	....	....	....
37	Sonthal Pergs.	16 0	16 0	14 0	...	...	...	12 0	12 0	13 0	19 0	15 8	16 0	....	....	....	....	....	....
	ORISSA.																		
38	Cuttack ...	22 5	21 0	14 7	...	...	...	13 2	13 2	13 2	16 6*	18 6	21 0	..	....	....	....	....	....
39	Pooree ..	17 1	17 1	10 4	...	...	...	13 2	13 2	14 8	19 3	17 1	21 0	....	....	....	....	....	....
40	Balasore ...	15 8	15 8	14 0	11 0	11 0	...	13 0	13 0	13 0	24 0	22 0	21 0	....	....	....	....	....	....
	CHOTA NAGPORE *South-Western Frontier Agency.*																		
41	Hazareebagh ...	16 8	15 8	16 0	15 0	...	...	11 0	12 0	9 0	19 0	18 0	15 0	....	....	....	....	....	....
42	Lohardugga ...	14 0	14 0	15 0	...	...	16 0	16 0	16 0	15 0	21 0	21 0	19 0	....	....	....	....	....	....
43	Singbhoom ...	20 0	18 0	16 0	20 0	20 0	24 0	20 0	20 0	22 0	24 0	24 0	28 0	....	....	....	....	....	....
44	Manbhoom ...	14 0	14 0	14 0	...	..	...	16 0	14 0	13 0	23 0	22 0	22 8	....	....	....	....	....	....

* In the interior the price of common rice varies from 21 seers to 26¼ seers per rupee.
† Agricultural labourers are generally paid in kind ordinarily 2½ seers of paddy or mawa are given as daily wages.
T The retail price of salt at Cox's Bazar was 10 seers per rupee.
U In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 9 to 12½ seers per rupee.
V In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Brahmunberiah 13 seers and Chandpore 12½ seers.
W In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Nawada 10 seers, and Aurangabad 11½ seers.
X In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Buxar and Sasseram 12 seers, and Bhabhuah 11 seers.
Y In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Tajpore 11½ seers and Madhubani 12 seers.
Z In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 11 to 12½ seers per rupee.

Salt.			WHOLESALE RICES PER MAUND OF 40 SEERS			AVERAGE WAGES PER MONTH.									DISTRICTS.
			Salt.			Able-bodied Agricultural Labourer.			Syce or Horse-keeper.			Common Mason, Carpenter, or Blacksmith.			
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
															Eastern Districts.—Concluded.
S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
T															
18 0	13 0	11 0	2 12 0	2 14 0	3 4 0	9 0 to 11 0	7 8 to 9 2		7 0 to 8 0	6 0 to		12 8 to 14 0	7 8 to 10 0		Chittagong.
U															
10 0	10 0	10 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	7 0 to 8 0	7 0 to 8 0	7 0 to 8 0	5 0 to 7 0	5 0 to 6 0	0 to 7 0	8 0 to 20 0	7 0 to 20 0	7 0 to 20 0	Noakholly.
V															
12 4	12 4	12 0	3 3 0	3 3 0	3 4 0	6 0 to 8 0	6 0 to 9 0	6 0 to 8 0	5 0 to 7 0	5 0 to 7 0	5 0 to 7 0	6 0 to 10 0	7 0 to 16 0	6 0 to 15 0	Tipperah.
8 0	8 0	8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	9 6	9 6	10 0	..	...	...	...	...	...	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
11 0	11 0	11 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	6 0	6 0	6 0	14 0	13 8	14 0	Hill Tipperah.
															BEHAR.
12 0	12 0	10 10	3 3 0	3 3 0	3 1 0	...	4 0 to 5 0	3 0 to 4 0	...	4 8 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 8	...	6 0 to 8 0	5 10 to 8 0	Patna.
W															
11 0	11 0	11 0	3 5 0	3 5 0	3 5 0	2 8 to 3 0	2 8 to 3 0	2 8 to 3 0	3 0 to 5 0	3 0 to 5 0	3 0 to 5 0	6 0 to 8 0	6 0 to 8 0	6 0 to 8 0	Gya.
X															
13 0	12 8	12 8	3 1 0	3 1 0	3 1 0	5 0	4 0	4 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	5 0 to 6 0	6 0 to 7 8	7 8	6 0 to 7 8	Shahabad.
Y															
12 15	12 15	12 6	3 0 6	3 0 6	3 1 6	2 13 to 5 0	3 12 to 5 0	2 15 to 3 12	3 0 to 5 0	3 12 to 5 0	2 8 to 4 0	3 12 to 9 6	3 12 to 15 0	5 10 to 7 8	Durbhunga.
Z															
12 0	12 0	12 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	...	3 0 to 5 0	3 0 to 5 0	...	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	...	5 0 to 8 0	5 0 to 8 0	Mozufferpore.
Z1															
12 0	12 0	11 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 4 0	4 12 to 6 4	4 12 to 6 4	5 10 to 7 8	4 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 6 0	4 0 to 6 0	6 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 10 0	Saran.
Z2															
12 0	12 0	12 8	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 2 0	5 12	5 12	5 12	4 0	4 0	4 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Champarun.
Z3															
13 2	13 2	12 1	2 14 6	2 13 3	3 2 5	3 12	3 12	3 12	4 0	4 0	4 0	5 10 to 7 8	5 10 to 7 8	5 10 to 7 8	Monghyr.
Z4															
12 10	12 10	12 10	2 14 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	4 0 to 5 0	5 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	5 0	4 0 to 5 0	6 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 10 0	6 0 to 10 0	Bhagulpore.
Z5															
10 0	10 0	10 8	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 3	3-5 6	5 0	4 11 to 5 10	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	7 0 to 16 0	7 0 to 16 0	7 0 to 16 0	Purneah.
13 0	13 0	11 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 4 0	7 8	7 8	7 8	5 0	5 0	5 0	6 8 to 15 0	6 8 to 15 0	7 8 to 13 2	Maldah.
Z6															
12 0	11 8	12 0	3 2 0	3 5 6	3 4 0	5 0	3 12	3 12	5 0	5 0	5 0	4 0 to 5 0	4 0 to 5 0	7 8 to 9 6	Sonthal Pergns
															ORISSA.
14 0	14 0	14 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	5 10	5 10	5 10	4 0	4 0	4 0	7 8 to 10 0	7 8 to 10 0	7 8 to 10 0	Cuttack.
Z7															
16 0	16 0	13 8	2 7 0	2 7 0	2 12 0	6 0	7 8	7 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	8 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 10 0	8 0 to 10 0	Pooree.
Z8															
10 12	10 12	9 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 14 0	4 10 to 5 10	5 10	5 10	4 0 to 6 0	6 0	6 0	7 8 to 9 0	7 8 to 9 0	7 8 to 9 0	Balasore
															CHOTA NAG ORE. *South-Western Frontier Agency.*
Z9															
10 0	11 0	11 0	3 5 6	3 4 0	3 7 3	4 0	5 0	4 8	5 0	6 0	5 0	8 0	8 0	8 0	Hazareebagh.
11 0	11 0	10 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 10 0	3 0 to 4 8	4 8	3 0 to 4 8	3 8 to 5 0	3 8 to 5 0	3 8 to 5 0	6 0 to 12 0	7 8 to 12 8	6 0 to 12 0	Lohardugga.
9 0	9 0	8 0	3 10 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 0	5 0	3 0	4 8	4 8	4 8	5 0 to 12 0	5 0 to 12 0	5 0 to 12 0	Singbhoom.
Z10															
10 8	10 8	10 0	3 2 0	3 3 0	3 5 0	4 11	4 11	4 11	4 0	4 0	4 0	10 0	13 0	10 0	Manbhoom.

Z1 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Sewan 11 seers, and Gopalgunge 13 seers.
Z2 In the interior the retail price of salt ranged from 10 to 18 seers per rupee.
Z3 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Begusarai 11 seers, and Jamui 11½ seers.
Z4 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Banka and Sooppole 11 seers, and Madhupura 10½ seers.
Z5 In the sub-divisions the retail prices of salt per rupee were:—Kisengunge 10 seers and at Ranegunge in Arrareah sub division 11 seers.
Z6 In the interior the retail price of salt at Rajmehal was 12½ seers per rupee.
Z7 In the Khorda sub-division the retail price of salt was 14 seers per rupee.
Z8 In the Bhadrack sub division the retail price of salt was 10 seers per rupee.
Z9 The retail price of salt at Chatra was 11 seers per rupee.
Z10 In the sub-division of Govindpur the retail price of salt was 11 seers per rupee.

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Statistics

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD AND SALT IN THE MARTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 15TH JANUARY 1884.

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood and Salt in

PRICES PER MAUND

Number.	MARTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	1 10 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	4 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 8 0	1 15 0	1 15 0	2 10 0
2	Seraigunge ...	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 12 0	...	...	...	3 10 0	3 12 0	4 0 0	2 10 0	3 0 0	1 9 0	...	...	...
3	Dacca ...	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 13 0	2 4 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	3 0 0	3 4 0	2 2 0	2 8 0	2 12 0	1 5 0	...	...	...
4	Naraingunge	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 8 0	2 6 0	1 9 0	2 6 0	2 4 0	1 7 0	...	...	...
5	Chittagong ...	3 8 0	3 8 0	...	...	...	...	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 8 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	1 11 0	...	...	...
6	Patna ...	1 14 6	1 14 6	1 14 0	1 8 6	1 14 6	1 0 0	3 4 0	3 1 3	2 10 6	2 8 0	2 8 0	1 11 0	...	...	...
7	Balasore ...	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 12 0	...	...	...	2 6 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	1 13 0	1 12 0	1 7 5	...	...	...
8	Pooree ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 11 1	1 12 0	1 6 0	...	...	...
9	Cuttack ...	2 10 0	2 10 0	3 10 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 5 0	2 0 0	1 11 0	1 8 0	...	...	...

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 15*th January* 1884.

OF 40 SEERS.

Great Millet—Cholum, Jowar.			Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Marts.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	
1 15 0	1 15 0	1 10 0	...	...	...	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 4 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	1 14 0	0 6 3	0 6 3	0 6 3	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 10 0	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 7 0	2 7 0	2 4 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 14 0	Serajgunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 6 0	2 4 0	1 15 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 7 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 4 0	2 5 0	1 14 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	2 14 0	3 0 0	2 14 0	Naraingunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 14 0	2 14 0	3 0 0	0 5 3	0 5 3	0 5 3	3 4 0	3 4 0	...	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1 8 6	1 9 6	0 15 0	1 10 9	1 10 9	1 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	3 1 0	3 1 0	3 0 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 12 0	3 0 0	2 8 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 5 4	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 2 0	Balasore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	Pooree.
...	...	...	2 5 0	2 5 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	1 10 0	1 11 0	1 9 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	Cuttack.

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Dept. of Finance Commerce, Stall Branch

By order &c.

Finance Dept.
Statistics.
Calcutta, the 24th Jany/84

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD AND SALT IN THE MARTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 31ST JANUARY 1884.

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood and Salt in

PRICES PER MAUND

Number.	MARTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	2 8 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 2 0	2 0 0	1 10 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	4 0 0	3 8 0	3 0 0	2 8 0	1 15 0	1 15 0	2 6 0
2	Seraigunge ...	2 4 0	2 6 0	2 12 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 10 0	...	2 12 0	2 10 0	1 9 0	...	...	...
* 3	Dacca* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4	Narainguge*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5	Chittagong ...	3 0 0	3 8 0	4 0 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	2 14 0	2 8 0	2 2 0	2 4 0	2 0 0	...	...	...
6	Patna ...	1 12 0	1 14 6	1 14 0	1 8 6	1 8 6	1 0 0	3 1 3	3 4 0	2 10 6	2 8 0	2 8 0	1 11 0	...	...	...
7	Balasore* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	Pooree* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Cuttack ...	2 10 0	2 10 0	3 4 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 5 0	2 1 0	2 0 0	1 5 0	...	...	...

* Return not received.

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 31*st January* 1884.

OF 40 SEERS

Great Millet—Cholum, Jowar.			Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena			Maize or Indian-corn			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Marts.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	
2 0 0	1 15 0	1 6 0	...	...	...	2 0 0	1 12 0	1 6 0	2 4 0	2 12 0	1 14 0	0 6 3	0 6 3	0 6 3	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 10 0	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 6 0	2 7 0	2 6 0	...	...	...	3 1 0	3 0 0	2 14 0	Serajgunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Dacca *
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Naraingunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 0 0	2 14 0	3 0 0	0 5 3	0 5 3	0 5 3	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 12 0	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1 8 6	1 8 6	0 15 0	1 9 0	1 10 9	1 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	3 1 0	3 1 0	3 0 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Balasore *
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pooree *
...	...	...	2 5 0	2 5 0	3 4 0	...	...	...	1 9 0	1 10 0	1 9 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	Cuttack

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Submitted to the Govt of India.

Dept of Finance Commce; Statl Branch.

By order &c.

Finl Dept.

Statistics

Calcutta, the 7th Feb/84

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD AND SALT IN THE MARTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 31st JANUARY 1884.

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood and Salt in

PRICES PER MAUND

Number.	MARTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	2 8 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 2 0	2 0 0	1 10 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	4 0 0	3 8 0	3 0 0	2 8 0	1 15 0	1 15 0	2 6 0
2	Seraigunge ...	2 4 0	2 6 0	2 12 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 10 0	...	2 12 0	2 10 0	1 9 0	...	...	...
3	Dacca ...	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 12 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	1 7 0	3 4 0	3 0 0	1 15 0	2 10 0	2 8 0	1 7 0	...	...	...
4	Narainguge*	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 14 0	2 8 0	1 9 0	2 12 0	2 6 0	1 6 0	...	...	...
5	Chittagong ...	3 0 0	3 8 0	4 0 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	2 14 0	2 8 0	2 2 0	2 4 0	2 0 0	...	...	...
6	Patna .	1 12 0	1 14 6	1 14 0	1 8 6	1 8 6	1 0 0	3 1 3	3 4 0	2 10 6	2 8 0	2 8 0	1 11 0	...	...	...
7	Balasore ...	2 9 0	2 8 0	2 12 0	...	...	...	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 8 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 6 0	...	...	...
8	Pooree ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 12 0	1 11 1	1 6 0	...	...	...
9	Cuttack ...	2 10 0	2 10 0	3 4 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 5 0	2 1 0	2 0 0	1 5 0	...	...	...

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 31*st January* 1884.

OF 40 SEERS.

Great Millet—Cholum, Jowar.			Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Marts.
Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	
R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	
2 0 0	1 15 0	1 6 0	...	...	...	2 0 0	1 12 0	1 6 0	2 4 0	2 12 0	1 14 0	0 6 3	0 6 3	0 6 3	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 10 0	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 6 0	2 7 0	2 6 0	...	...	...	3 1 0	3 0 0	2 14 0	Serajgunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 7 0	2 6 0	1 14 0	0 7 0	0 6 0	0 7 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 6 0	2 4 0	1 14 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	3 0 0	Naraingunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 0 0	2 14 0	3 0 0	0 5 3	0 5 3	0 5 3	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 12 0	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1 8 6	1 8 6	0 15 0	1 9 0	1 10 9	1 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	3 1 0	3 1 0	3 0 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 8 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	0 5 4	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 2 0	Balasore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 7 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	Pooree.
...	...	...	2 5 0	2 5 0	3 4 0	...	...	...	1 9 0	1 10 0	1 9 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	Cuttack.

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Submitted to the Govt of India, Dept of Fince Nomnce, Statt Branch, in contn of Indt, No 673, dated the 7th inst.

By order &c.

Finl Dept
Statistics
Calcutta, the 17th Feb. 1884

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WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD AND SALT IN THE MARTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 15TH FEBRUARY 1884.

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood and Salt in

PRICES PER MAUND

Number.	MARTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	2 14 0	2 8 0	3 0 0	2 8 0	2 2 0	1 12 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	4 0 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	2 8 0	2 0 0	1 15 0	2 6 0
2	Seraigunge ...	2 4 0	2 4 0	1 14 0	...	...	...	2 14 0	3 0 0	3 14 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	1 10 0	...	...	...
3	Dacca ...	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 10 0	2 8 0	2 4 0	1 4 0	2 14 0	3 4 0	1 12 0	2 8 0	2 10 0	1 4 0	...	...	...
4	Naraingunge	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 12 0	2 14 0	1 10 0	2 10 0	2 12 0	1 8 0	...	...	...
5	Chittagong ...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 8 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 8 0	2 2 0	2 2 0	1 14 0	...	...	...
6	Patna ...	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 14 0	1 8 6	1 8 6	1 0 0	3 1 3	3 1 3	2 10 6	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 0 0	...	...	...
7	Balasore ...	2 8 0	2 9 0	2 12 0	...	...	...	2 8 0	2 6 0	2 8 0	1 14 0	1 13 0	1 6 0	...	...	...
8	Pooree* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Cuttack ...	2 10 0	2 10 0	3 4 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 0 0	2 2 0	2 1 0	1 9 0	...	...	...

* Return not

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 15*th February* 1884.

OF 40 SEERS

GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM, JOWAR			LESSER MILLET—RAGI OR MURWA AND CHENNA			MAIZE OR INDIAN CORN			GRAM			FIREWOOD			SALT			MARTS.
Present return	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year	Present return	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year	Present return	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year	
R. A P	R A P	R A P	R A P	R A P	R A P	R A P	R A P	R A P	R A P	R A P	R A P	R A.P.	R A P	R A P	R A P	R A P	R A P	
1 15 0	2 0 0	1 8 0				2 0 0	2 0 0	1 6 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 0 0	0 6 8	0 6 8	0 6 3	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 10 0	Calcutta
									2 4 0	6 0	1 11 0				3 0 0	3 1 0	2 15 6	Serajgunge
									2 7 0	2 7 0	1 12 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	Dacca
									2 8 0	2 6 0	1 14 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	3 0 0	3 14 0	2 14 0	Narainguns.
									3 2 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	0 5 3	0 5 3	0 5 3	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 12 0	Chittagong.
						1 8 0	1 8 0	1 5 0	1 9 0	1 9 0	1 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	3 1 0	3 1 0	3 0 0	Patna.
									2 12 0	2 12 0	3 8 0	0 6 0	0 3 0	0 5 4	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 2 0	Balasore
																		... Peoree
			2 6 0	2 5 0	2 2 0				1 9 0	1 9	1 9 0	0 4 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	2 0 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	Cuttack

received.

Submitted to the Govt of India, Dept of Rev & Agr, Stat Branch.

Dir Genl Dept Statistics. Calcutta, the 24th Feb 1884

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WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD AND SALT IN THE MARTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 15TH FEBRUARY 1884.

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood and Salt in

PRICES PER MAUND

Number.	MARTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	2 14 0	2 8 0	3 0 0	2 8 0	2 2 0	1 12 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	4 0 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	2 8 0	2 0 0	1 15 0	2 6 0
2	Seraigunge ...	2 4 0	2 4 0	1 14 0	...	...	...	2 14 0	3 0 0	3 14 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	1 10 0	...	...	...
3	Dacca ...	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 10 0	2 8 0	2 4 0	1 4 0	2 14 0	3 4 0	1 12 0	2 8 0	2 10 0	1 4 0	...	...	...
4	Narainguage	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 12 0	2 14 0	1 10 0	2 10 0	2 12 0	1 8 0	...	...	...
5	Chittagong ...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 8 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 8 0	2 2 0	2 2 0	1 14 0	...	...	...
6	Patna .	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 14 0	1 8 6	1 8 6	1 0 0	3 1 3	3 1 3	2 10 6	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 0 0	...	...	...
7	Balasore .	2 8 0	2 9 0	2 12 0	...	...	...	2 8 0	2 6 0	2 8 0	1 14 0	1 13 0	1 6 0	...	...	...
8	Pooree ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 12 8	1 12 8	1 4 0	...	...	...
9	Cuttack ...	2 10 0	2 10 0	3 4 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 0 0	2 2 0	2 1 0	1 9 0	...	...	...

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 15*th February* 1884.

OF 40 SEERS.

Great Millet—Cholum, Jowar.			Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Marts.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	
1 15 0	2 0 0	1 8 0	...	...	...	2 0 0	2 0 0	1 6 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 0 0	0 6 3	0 6 3	0 6 3	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 10 0	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 4 0	2 6 0	1 14 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 1 0	2 15 6	Serajgunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 7 0	2 7 0	1 12 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 6 0	2 6 0	1 14 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	3 0 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	Naraingunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 2 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	0 5 3	0 5 3	0 5 3	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 12 0	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1 8 6	1 8 6	0 15 0	1 9 0	1 9 0	1 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	3 1 0	3 1 0	3 0 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 8 0	0 5 0	0 3 0	0 5 4	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 2 0	Balasore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 7 0	2 7 0	2 12 0	Pooree
...	...	...	2 6 0	2 5 0	2 2 0	...	...	...	1 9 0	1 9 0	1 9 0	0 4 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	2 10 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	Cuttack.

No 1028 Dt. 28/2

Submitted to the Govt. of India, Dept. of Fince Hommce, Statt Branch, in contn of Endt. No 901, dy: the 21st instant.

By order &c.

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Finl. Dept.
Statistics.
Calcutta, the 28th Feb/84

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD AND SALT IN THE MARTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 29TH FEBRUARY 1884.

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood and Salt in

PRICES PER MAUND

Number.	MARTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	2 10 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 4 0	2 8 0	2 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	3 12 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	2 8 0	2 4 0	2 0 0	2 6 0
2	Serajgunge ...	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	...	...	...	4 14 0	...	3 15 0	2 13 0	2 12 0	1 10 0	...	...	...
3	Dacca ...	2 6 0	2 8 0	2 12 0	2 6 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	2 13 0	2 14 0	1 13 0	2 7 0	2 6 0	1 7 0	...	...	...
4	Naraingunge	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 12 0	2 12 0	1 12 0	2 10 0	2 10 0	1 9 0	...	...	...
5	Chittagong ...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 8 0	...	...	...	2 12 0	3 0 0	2 4 0	2 0 0	2 2 0	1 8 0	...	...	...
6	Patna ...	1 12 0	1 12 0	2 3 0	1 8 6	1 8 6	1 3 0	3 1 3	3 1 3	2 11 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 0 0	...	...	...
7	Balasore ...	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 12 0	...	...	...	2 6 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	1 14 0	1 14 0	1 1 0	...	...	...
8	Pooree* ...	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	...	...	...	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	...	...	...
9	Cuttack ...	2 10 0	2 10 0	3 4 0	...	...	...	3 4 0	3 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 2 0	1 6 0	...	...	...

* Return not received.

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 29th February 1884.

OF 40 SEERS.

GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM, JOWAR.			LESSER MILLET—RAGI OR MURWA AND CHEENA.			MAIZE OR INDIAN-CORN.			GRAM.			FIREWOOD.			SALT.			MARTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	
2 0 0	1 15 0	1 10 0	...	...	...	2 0 0	2 0 0	1 6 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 2 0	0 6 3	0 6 3	0 6 3	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 10 0	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 10 0	2 4 0	2 0 0	...	...	...	3 0 9	3 0 0	2 15 0	Serajgunge.
...	...	...	...	..	...	...	..	.	2 6 0	2 7 0	2 2 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 6 0	3 1 0	3 2 0	3 1 0	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	2 8 0	2 6 0	2 0 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 15 0	Narangunge.
...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	0 5 3	0 5 3	0 5 3	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 8 0	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1 8 6	1 8 6	1 3 0	1 9 0	1 9 0	1 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	3 1 0	3 1 0	3 0 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 8 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 4	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 2 0	Balas, e
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	2-6	2-7	2-12	Pooree.
...	...	...	2 10 0	2 6 0	2 10 0	...	...	...	1 9 0	1 9 0	1 10 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	2 12 0	2 10 0	2 12 0	Cuttack.

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Dept of Finance & Commerce, Statistical Branch

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Statistical
Calcutta, the 6th March/84

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD AND SALT IN THE MARTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 29TH FEBRUARY 1884.

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood and Salt in

PRICES PER MAUND

Number.	MARTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	2 10 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 4 0	2 8 0	2 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	3 12 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	2 8 0	2 4 0	2 0 0	2 6 0
2	Seraigunge ...	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	...	...	...	4 14 0	...	3 15 0	2 13 0	2 12 0	1 10 0	...	...	...
3	Dacca ...	2 6 0	2 8 0	2 12 0	2 6 0	2 8 0	1 4 0	2 13 0	2 14 0	1 13 0	2 7 0	2 8 0	1 7 0	...	...	...
4	Naraingunge	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 12 0	2 12 0	1 12 0	2 10 0	2 10 0	1 9 0	...	...	...
5	Chittagong ...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 8 0	...	...	...	2 12 0	3 0 0	2 4 0	2 0 0	2 2 0	1 8 0	...	...	...
6	Patna ...	1 12 0	1 12 0	2 3 0	1 8 6	1 8 6	1 3 0	3 1 3	3 1 3	2 11 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 0 0	...	...	...
7	Balasore ...	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 12 0	...	...	...	2 6 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	1 14 0	1 14 0	1 1 0	...	...	...
8	Pooree ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 12 8	1 12 8	1 4 0	...	...	...
9	Cuttack ...	2 10 0	2 10 0	3 4 0	...	...	...	3 4 0	3 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 2 0	1 6 0	...	...	...

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 29th February 1884.

OF 40 SEERS

Great Millet—Cholum, Jowar.			Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Marts.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	
2 0 0	1 15 0	1 10 0	...	...	...	2 0 0	2 0 0	1 6 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 2 0	0 6 3	0 6 3	0 6 3	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 10 0	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 10 0	2 4 0	2 0 0	...	...	...	3 0 9	3 0 0	2 15 0	Serajgunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 6 0	2 7 0	2 2 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 6 0	3 1 0	3 2 0	3 1 0	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 8 0	2 6 0	2 0 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 15 0	Naraingunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	0 5 3	0 5 3	0 5 3	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 8 0	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1 8 6	1 8 6	1 3 0	1 9 0	1 9 0	1 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	3 1 0	3 1 0	3 0 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 8 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 4	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 2 0	Balasore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 6 0	2 7 0	2 12 0	Pooree.
...	...	...	2 10 0	2 6 0	2 10 0	...	...	...	1 9 0	1 9 0	1 10 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	2 12 0	2 10 0	2 12 0	Cuttack.

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By order

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Financial Debt
Statistics
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WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD AND SALT IN THE MARTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 15TH MARCH 1884.

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood and Salt in

PRICES PER MAUND

Number.	MARTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULBUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 14 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 8 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	4 0 0	3 0 0	3 8 0	2 8 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 8 0
2	Serajgunge ...	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	...	...	...	4 14 0	4 14 0	3 14 0	2 12 0	2 13 0	1 10 0	...	...	...
3	Dacca ...	2 8 0	2 6 0	2 12 0	1 8 0	2 6 0	1 4 0	2 14 0	2 13 0	2 0 0	2 8 0	2 7 0	1 10 0	...	...	...
4	Naraingunge	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 10 0	2 12 0	1 14 0	2 9 0	2 10 0	1 12 0	...	...	...
5	Chittagong ...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 4 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	1 8 0	...	...	...
6	Patna .	1 12 0	1 12 0	2 3 0	1 8 6	1 8 6	1 3 0	3 1 3	3 1 3	2 11 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 0 0	...	...	...
7	Balasore ...	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 2 0	...	...	...	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 10 0	1 14 0	1 14 0	1 1 0	...	...	...
8	Pooree* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 9 0	1 12 8	1 4 0	...	...	...
9	Cuttack ...	2 5 0	2 10 0	2 10 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 4 0	2 2 0	1 14 0	2 0 0	1 8 0	...	...	...

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 15th March 1884.

OF 40 SEERS

Great Millet—Cholum, Jowar			Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena			Maize or Indian-core			Gram			Firewood			Salt			Marts.
Present return	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year	Present return	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year	Present return	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year	
R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	
2 0 0	2 0 0	1 10 0	..	...	...	2 0 0	2 0 0	1 12 0	2 2 0	2 4 0	2 2 0	0 6 3	0 6 3	0 6 3	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 10 0	Calcutta.
...	..	.	...	..	..	.	.	.	2 9 0	2 10 0	1 15 0		.	...	3 0 6	3 0 9	2 15 0	Seraigunge
...	...	.	.	..	..	..	...	.	2 2 0	2 6 0	2 3 0	0 6 0	0 7 0	0 7 6	3 2 0	3 1 0	3 2 0	Dacca
...	...	..	..	..	.	..	..	..	2 8 0	2 [illegible] 0	1 14 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 14 0	Naraingunge.
...	..	...	.			.	..	...	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	0 5 3	0 5 3	...	3 4 0	[illegible] 4 0	4 0 0	Chittagong
...	...	..	.	.	..	1 8 6	1 8 6	1 3 0	1 9 0	1 9 0	1 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	3 1 [illegible]	3 1 0	3 0 0	Patna.
...	...	.	.	.	.	.	.	...	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 10 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 4	3 14 0	3 14 0	3 2 0	Balasore
...	..	..	.	.	.	.	..	.	...	.	..	.		...	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 12 0	Pooree
...	...	...	2 10 0	2 10 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	1 9 0	1 9 0	1 10 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	Cuttack

No 1278 Dt 27/3

Submitted to the Govt of India Dept of Finance & Commerce, Statistical Branch, ~~in continuation of endt No 12~~ Calcutta,

S.N. 27/3
By order

Financial Dept
Statistics

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD AND SALT IN THE MARTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 31ST MARCH 1884.

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood and Salt in

PRICES PER MAUND

Number.	MARTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	2 14 0	2 10 0	2 12 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	3 12 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 8 0	2 2 0	2 4 0	2 8 0
2	Serajgunge ...	2 8 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	...	...	...	4 8 0	4 14 0	3 14 0	2 6 6	2 12 0	1 12 0	...	...	...
3	Dacca ...	2 6 0	2 8 0	2 12 0	2 6 0	1 8 0	1 8 0	...	2 14 0	2 8 0	2 7 0	2 8 0	2 0 0	...	...	...
4	Narainguage	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 12 0	2 10 0	1 14 0	2 10 0	2 9 0	1 12 0	...	...	...
5	Chittagong ...	3 4 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	2 12 0	2 14 0	2 4 0	2 0 0	1 14 0	...	...	...
6	Patna ...	1 11 6	1 12 0	2 3 0	1 7 9	1 8 6	1 3 0	3 0 0	3 1 3	2 11 0	2 7 0	2 8 0	2 0 0	...	...	...
7	Balasore ...	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 2 0	...	...	...	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 10 0	1 12 0	1 14 0	1 1 0	...	...	...
8	Pooree ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 10 0	1 9 0	1 4 0	...	...	...
9	Cuttack ...	2 0 0	2 5 0	3 4 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 2 0	2 0 0	1 14 0	1 8 0	...	...	...

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 31st March 1884.

OF 40 SEERS

GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM, JOWAR.			LESSER MILLET—RAGI OR MURWA AND CHENNA.			MAIZE OR INDIAN-CORN.			GRAM.			FIREWOOD.			SALT.			MARTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	
2 0 0	2 0 0	1 10 0	...	..	...	2 0 0	2 0 0	1 8 0	2 2 0	2 2 0	2 4 0	0 6 3	0 6 3	0 6 3	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 10 0	Calcutta.
...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	2 12 0	2 9 0	2 4 0	...	...	...	3 1 0	3 0 0	3 1 6	Serajgunge.
...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	2 4 0	2 2 0	2 6 0	0 7 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 1 0	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 4 0	2 8 0	2 0 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 15 0	Naraingunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 2 0	2 8 0	0 5 3	0 5 3	...	3 4 0	3 4 0	4 4 0	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1 6 9	1 8 6	1 3 0	1 7 6	1 9 0	1 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	2 14 0	3 1 0	3 0 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	.	..	..	2 12 0	2 13 0	2 10 0	0 4 0	0 5 0	0 5 4	3 12 0	3 14 0	3 2 0	Balasore
...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 12 0	Pooree.
...	...	...	3 10 0	2 10 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	1 9 0	1 9 0	1 10 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	Cuttack.

No 1297 Dt. 10/4

Submitted to the Govt of India dept of Finance and Commerce, Statistical Branch Calcutta,

Financial Statistics Calcutta the 7th April 1884

By order &c. 10/4

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD AND SALT IN THE MARTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 15TH APRIL 1884.

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood and Salt in

PRICES PER MAUND

Number.	MARTN.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.		
		Present returns.	Next preceding returns.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present returns.	Next preceding returns.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present returns.	Next preceding returns.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present returns.	Next preceding returns.	Corresponding return of last year.
		R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	2 8 0	2 14 0	2 10 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	1 12 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	3 12 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 8 0	2 2 0	2 2 0	...
2	Seraigunge ...	2 4 0	2 3 0	2 0 0	...	...	...	4 4 0	4 8 0	4 0 0	2 8 6	2 6 6	2 1 6	...	...	...
3	Dacca ...	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 12 0	2 2 0	2 6 0	1 8 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 6 0	2 12 0	2 7 0	1 15 0	...	...	...
4	Narainguage	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 10 0	2 12 0	2 0 0	2 8 0	2 10 0	1 12 0	...	...	...
5	Chittagong ...	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 12 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 0 0	...	...	...
6	Patna ...	1 11 0	1 11 6	2 3 0	1 8 0	1 7 0	1 3 0	3 5 0	3 0 0	2 11 0	2 10 0	2 7 0	2 0 0	...	...	...
7	Balasore ...	2 0 0	2 8 0	2 12 0	3 2 0	...	...	2 2 0	2 6 0	2 8 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 4 0	...	...	...
8	Pooree ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 9 0	1 10 0	1 4 0	...	...	...
9	Cuttack ...	1 14 0	2 0 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 2 0	1 14 0	2 0 0	1 8 0	...	...	...

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 15th April 1884.

OF 40 SEERS

Great Millet—Cholum, Jowar.			Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram			Firewood.			Salt.			Marts.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	
2 0 0	2 0 0	1 10 0	...	...	...	2 0 0	2 0 0	1 12 0	2 2 0	2 2 0	2 0 0	0 6 3	0 6 3	0 6 3	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 6 0	2 12 0	1 15 0	...	...	...	3 0 6	3 1 0	3 0 0	Serajgunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 2 0	2 4 0	2 6 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 7 6	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 0 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 14 0	Nara yangunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 8 0	...	...	...	4 0 0	3 4 0	4 0 0	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1 6 9	1 6 9	1 3 9	1 8 0	1 7 6	1 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	3 0 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 12 0	2 12 0	3 8 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 5 4	3 8 0	3 12 0	3 13 0	Balasore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 12 0	Pooree.
...	...	...	3 10 0	3 10 0	2 5 0	...	...	...	1 9 0	1 9 0	1 10 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	...	Cuttack.

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Superintendent of Statistics

Calcutta the 23rd April 1884

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD AND SALT IN THE MARTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 30TH APRIL 1884.

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood and Salt in

PRICES PER MAUND

Number.	MARTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	2 6 0	2 8 0	2 9 0	2 0 0	2 4 0	1 14 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	3 5 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 4 0	2 12 0	2 2 0	2 4 0
2	Serajgunge ...	2 2 0	2 4 0	1 12 0	...	...	...	4 4 0	4 4 0	4 0 0	2 6 0	2 8 6	2 6 0	...	...	...
3	Dacca ...	2 4 0	2 6 0	2 12 0	2 8 0	2 2 0	1 8 0	3 2 0	3 0 0	2 7 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 0 0	...	...	...
4	Naraingunge	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 2 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 0 0	...	...	...
	Chittagong ...	3 4 0	3 4 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	3 2 0	3 0 0	2 14 0	2 8 0	2 4 0	2 0 0	...	...	...
	Patna ...	1 11 0	1 11 0	2 3 0	1 8 0	1 8 0	1 3 0	3 5 0	3 5 0	2 11 0	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 0 0	...	...	...
7	Balasore ...	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 12 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	...	2 6 0	2 2 0	2 10 0	1 13 0	1 12 0	1 4 0	...	...	...
8	Pooree ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 9 0	1 9 0	1 4 0	...	...	...
	Cuttack ...	1 14 0	1 14 0	2 5 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 5 0	1 14 0	1 14 0	1 8 0	...	...	...

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 30th April 1884.

OF 40 SEERS

GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM, JOWAR.			LESSER MILLET—RAGI OR MURWA AND CHENNA			MAIZE OR INDIAN-CORN			GRAM.			FIREWOOD.			SALT			MARTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return	Corresponding return of last year.	
R. A. P.	R. A. P	R. A. P	R. A. P.	R. A. P	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P	R. A. P.	R. A. P	R. A. P.	R. A. P	R. A. P.	R. A. P	R. A. P	R A. P	R. A. P	R A. P	
2 0 0	2 0 0	1 12 0	...	...	...	...	2 0 0	1 10 0	2 2 0	2 2 0	2 2 0	...	0 5-6 0 6 3		2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 6 0	2 12 0	2 2 0	...	...	...	3 0 6	3 0 6	3 0 0	Serajgunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 2 0	2 4 0	2 12 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 7 6	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 8 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	Naraingunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 2 0	3 0 0	2 8 0	...	...	...	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1 6 9	1 6 9	1 3 0	1 8 0	1 7 6	1 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	3 0 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 5 4	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	Balasore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 11 0	Pooree.
...	...	...	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	1 9 0	1 9 0	1 9 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	Cuttack.

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Financial Dept
Statistics
Calcutta the 8th May/84

By order Dr 8/5

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD AND SALT IN THE MARTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 15TH MAY 1884.

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood and Salt in

PRICES PER MAUND

Number.	MARTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 12 0	2 4 0	2 0 0	2 4 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	3 12 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 4 0	2 10 0	2 12 0	2 2 0
2	Seraigunge ...	2 4 0	2 2 0	2 0 0	...	...	...	4 8 0	4 4 0	4 0 0	2 4 0	2 6 0	2 5 0	...	...	...
3	Dacca ...	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 13 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 0 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	2 8 0	2 10 0	2 12 0	2 3 0	...	...	...
4	Narainguage	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 4 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 0 0	...	...	...
5	Chittagong ...	3 2 0	3 4 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 2 0	2 14 0	2 4 0	2 8 0	1 14 0	...	...	...
6	Patna .	1 14 6	1 11 0	2 3 0	1 10 0	1 8 0	1 3 0	3 5 0	3 5 0	2 11 0	2 14 0	2 10 0	2 0 0	...	...	...
7	Balasore ...	2 4 0	2 0 0	2 12 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	...	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 10 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 4 0	...	...	-
8	Poore* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 8 3 1-9-0 1-4-0			...	...	-
9	Cuttack ...	2 10 0	1 14 0	2 2 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 10 0	2 0 0	1 14 0	1 9 0	...	...	...

* Not received.

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 15th May 1884.

OF 40 SEERS.

Great Millet—Cholum, Jowar.			Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Marts.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	
2 4 0	2 0 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 2 0	2 2 0	2 2 0	0 5 6	0 5 6	0 6 3	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 4 0	2 6 0	2 3 0	...	...	...	3 6 0	3 0 6	3 0 3	Serajgunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 2 0	2 2 0	2 12 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 7 6	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 8 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 14 0	Naraingunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 2 0	3 0 0	0 4 0	...	...	3 12 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1 9 6	1 6 9	1 3 0	1 13 0	1 8 0	1 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	3 0 0	2 14 0	3 0 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	0 5 0	0 4 0	0 5 4	4 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	Balasore
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2-6-0	2-6-0	2-11-0	Pooree.
...	...	...	2 5 0	3 10 0	1 11 0	...	...	...	1 10 0	1 9 0	1 11 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	Cuttack.

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By order

Financial Dept
Statistics
Calcutta the 22nd May/84

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD AND SALT IN THE MARTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 31ST MAY 1884.

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood and Salt in

PRICES PER MAUND

Number.	MARTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO, BAJRA.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 13 0	2 6 0	2 4 0	2 2 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	3 14 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 8 0	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 1 0
2	Seraigunge ...	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 0 0	...	...	...	3 14 0	4 8 0	4 0 0	2 8 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	...	...	...
3	Dacca ...	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 13 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	1 14 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	2 7 0	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 2 0	...	...	...
4	Naraingunge	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 6 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 3 0	...	...	...
5	Chittagong ...	3 0 0	3 2 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 14 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	1 14 0	...	...	...
6	Patna ...	1 12 0	1 14 6	2 3 0	1 9 6	1 10 0	1 3 0	3 0 0	3 5 0	2 11 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 0 0	...	...	...
7	Balasore ...	2 2 0	2 4 0	2 12 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	...	3 0 0	2 6 0	2 10 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 4 0	...	...	...
8	Poorea ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 8 3	1 8 3	1 4 0	...	...	...
9	Cuttack ...	2 5 0	2 10 0	3 4 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 5 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	1 9 0	...	...	...

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 31st May 1884.

OF 40 SEERS.

Great Millet—Cholum, Jowar.			Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			Marts.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	
2 4 0	2 4 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 2 0	2 2 0	2 2 0	0 5 6	0 5 6	0 6 3	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	...	...	0 6 0	3 0 6	3 0 6	3 0 0	Serajgunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 2 0	2 2 0	2 12 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 6 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 8 0	2 4 0	2 10 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 14 0	Naraingunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 12 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	...	3 14 0	3 12 0	4 0 0	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1 9 6	1 9 6	1 3 0	1 12 0	1 13 0	1 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	3 2 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 10 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 3	3 12 0	4 8 0	5 0 0	Balasore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 11 0	Pooree.
...	...	...	2 5 0	2 5 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	1 10 0	1 10 0	1 11 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	Cuttack.

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Submitted to the Govt. of India, Dept. of Financ and Commerce Statistical Branch - Calcutta -

Financial Dept.
Statistics
Calcutta the 12th June 1884

By Order of the Lieutenant Governor of Bengal

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WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD AND SALT IN THE MARTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 15TH JUNE 1884.

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Fire-wood, and Salt in

PRICE PER MAUND

Number.	MARTS.	WHEAT			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—COMBOO RAJRA.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		R. A P.	R. A P.	R. A P.	R. A P.	R. A P.	R. A P.	R. A P.	R. A P.	R. A P.	R. A P.	R. A P.	R. A P.	R. A P.	R. A P.	R. A P.
1	Calcutta ...	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 13 0	1 15 0	2 6 0	2 1 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	3 14 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 8 0	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 0 0
2	Serajgunge ..	2-4--	2 4 0	1 12 0	...	...	...	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 4 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 4 0	...	...	...
3	Dacca	2 6 0	2 4 0	2 13 0	1 14 0	2 8 0	1 14 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	2 8 0	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 2 0	...	....	...
4	Narsingunge	...	...	...	.	.		2 9 0	2 10 0	2 4 0	2 7 0	2 8 0	2 2 0	...	...	...
5	Chittagong ...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 14 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	1 14 0	...	...	...
6	Patna	1 12 0	1 12 0	2 3 0	1 9 6	1 9 6	1 3 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 11 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 0 0	...	...	...
7	Balasore ..	2 2 0	2 2 0	2 12 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 10 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 2 0	...	...	...
8	Pooree ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 12 0	1 8 3	2 2 0	...	...	...
9	Cuttack ...	2 10 0	2 5 0	3 4 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 10 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	1 9 0	...	...	...

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the undermentioned Marts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 15th June 1884.

OF 40 SEERS

Great Millet—Cholum Jowar			Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			MARTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	
2 4 0	2 4 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 2 0	2 2 0	2 4 0	0 5 6	0 5 6	0 6 3	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	...	...	...	3 0 6	3 0 6	3 3 0	Serajgunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 6 0	2 2 0	2 12 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 6 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 0 0	2 8 0	2 10 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 2 0	Naraingunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 12 0	2 12 0	3 0 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	...	...	3 14 0	4 0 0	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1 9 6	1 9 6	1 3 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 0 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 12 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 4	3 12 0	3 12 0	5 0 0	Balasore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 12 0	Pooree.
...	...	...	2 5 0	2 5 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	1 10 0	1 10 0	2 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	Cuttack.

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Statistical Branch, Calcutta

Financial Dept
Statistics
Calcutta 26th June/84

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WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD AND SALT IN THE MARTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 30TH JUNE 1884.

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Fire-wood, and Salt in

PRICES PER MAUND

Number.	MARTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO BAJRA.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 14 0	1 15 0	1 15 0	2 0 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	3 14 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 8 0	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 0 0
2	Serajgunge ...	2 4 0	...	1 13 0	...	...	...	3 12 0	3 14 0	4 0 0	2 6 0	2 8 0	2 4 0	...	...	...
3	Dacca ...	2 6 0	2 6 0	3 2 0	1 14 0	1 14 0	2 0 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 2 0	...	...	...
4	Naraingunge	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 8 0	2 9 0	2 3 0	2 6 0	2 7 0	2 0 0	...	...	...
5	Chittagong ...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 14 0	2 6 0	2 4 0	2 0 0	...	...	...
6	Patna ...	1 14 6	1 12 0	2 3 0	1 11 6	1 9 6	1 3 0	3 1 0	3 0 0	2 11 0	2 13 9	2 14 0	2 0 0	...	...	...
7	Balasore ...	2 2 0	2 2 0	2 12 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 8 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 5 0	...	...	...
8	Pooree ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 12 0	1 12 0	2 2 0	...	...	...
9	Cuttack ...	2 5 0	2 10 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	1 10 0	...	...	...

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 30th June 1884.

OF 40 SEERS.

GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM JOWAR.			LESSER MILLET—RAGI OR MURWA AND CHENENA.			MAIZE OR INDIAN-CORN.			GRAM.			FIREWOOD.			SALT.			MARTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	
2 4 0	2 4 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 2 0	2 2 0	2 4 0	0 5 6	0 5 6	0 6 3	2 13 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 10 0	...	...	0 6 0	3 2 6	3 0 6	3 2 0	Serajgunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 4 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 5 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 4 0	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 4 0	2 0 0	2 8 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	Naraingung
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 8 0	2 12 0	3 0 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 5 3	4 0 0	...	4 0 0	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1 11 6	1 9 6	1 8 0	1 9 6	1 12 6	1 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 0 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 12 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 4	3 13 0	3 12 0	4 8 0	Balasore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 11 0	Pooree.
...	...	...	2 5 0	2 5 0	2 10 0	...	...	...	1 10 0	1 10 0	2 2 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	Cuttack.

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Financial Dept
Statistics
Calcutta the 7th July 1884

By order &c

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD AND SALT IN THE MARTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 15TH JULY 1884.

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Fire-wood, and Salt in

PRICES PER MAUND

Number	MARTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO BAJRA.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 13 0	1 15 0	1 15 0	2 1 0	4 8 0	4 8 0	3 13 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 8 0	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 0 0
2	Serajgunge ...	2 4 0	2 4 0	1 14 0	...	...	...	3 10 0	3 12 0	4 0 0	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 4 0	...	...	...
3	Dacca ...	2 6 0	2 6 0	3 2 0	1 8 0	1 14 0	2 0 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	2 8 0	2 7 0	2 10 0	2 0 0	...	...	...
4	Naraingunge	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 2 0	2 6 0	2 6 0	1 12 0	...	...	...
5	Chittagong ...	2 11 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 14 0	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 0 0	...	...	...
6	Patna ...	1 14 6	1 14 6	2 3 0	1 11 6	1 11 6	1 3 0	3 1 0	3 1 0	2 11 0	2 13 9	2 13 9	2 5 9	...	...	...
7	Balasore ...	2 2 0	2 2 0	2 14 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 6 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 5 0	...	...	...
8	Pooree ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 14 6	1 13 0	2 2 0	...	...	...
9	Cuttack ...	2 5 0	2 5 0	2 10 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 5 0	2 0 0	1 11 0	...	...	...

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 15th July 1884.

OF 40 SEERS.

GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM JOWAR			LESSER MILLET—RAGI OR MURWA AND CHEENA.			MAIZE OR INDIAN-CORN.			GRAM.			FIREWOOD.			SALT			MARTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	
...	2 4 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 2 0	2 2 0	2 4 0	0 5 9	0 5 6	0 6 3	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 6 0	...	...	...	...	3 2 6	3 0 0	Serajgunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 1 0	2 6 0	2 4 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 4 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 4 0	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 8 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 2 0	Naraingung
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 6 0	2 8 0	3 0 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 5 3	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1 11 6	1 11 6	1 3 0	1 9 6	1 9 6	1 8 6	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 0 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 14 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 4	3 8 0	3 13 0	4 6 0	Balasore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 12 0	Pooree.
...	...	...	1 14 0	2 5 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	1 10 0	1 10 0	2 2 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	2 19 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	Cuttack.

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Submitted to the Govt. of India, Deptt. of Finance & Commerce, Statistical Branch, Calcutta.

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Beng

For Offg Under Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal

Financial Deptt. Statistics
The 24th July 1884

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD AND SALT IN THE MARTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 31st JULY 1884.

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Fire-wood, and Salt in

PRICES PER MAUND

Number.	MARTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO BAJRA.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P	R. A P.	R. A P.
1	Calcutta ...	2 4 0	2 6 0	...	1 14 0	1 15 0	...	4 8 0	4 8 0	...	3 8 0	3 0 0	...	2 10 0	2 10 0	...
2	Serajgunge ...	2 10 0	2 4 0	1 12 0	...	...	...	3 12 0	3 10 0	4 0 0	2 8 0	2 6 0	2 8 0	...	...	...
3	Dacca ...	2 6 0	2 6 0	3 1 0	1 8 6	1 8 0	1 12 0	3 1 0	3 2 0	2 4 0	2 7 0	2 7 0	1 13 0	...	...	...
4	Naraingunge	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 6 0	2 8 0	1 15 0	2 5 0	2 6 0	1 13 0	...	...	...
5	Chittagong ...	...	2 11 0	3 14 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 10 0	2 6 0	2 6 0	1 14 0	...	...	...
6	Patna ...	1 14 6	1 14 6	1 14 6	1 13 0	1 11 6	1 4 6	3 0 0	3 1 0	2 11 0	2 13 9	2 13 9	2 8 0	...	...	...
7	Balasore ...	2 4 0	2 2 0	2 12 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 10 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 5 0	...	...	...
8	Pooree ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 2 0	1 14 6	2 2 0	...	...	...
9	Cuttack ...	2 0 0	2 5 0	2 14 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 0 0	2 5 0	1 11 0	...	...	...

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 31st July 1884.

OF 40 SEERS.

GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM JOWAR			LESSER MILLET—RAGI OR MURWA AND CHEENA.			MAIZE OR INDIAN-CORN.			GRAM.			FIREWOOD.			SALT.			MARTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 14 0	2 2 0	...	0 5 9	0 5 9	...	...	2 12 0	...	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 6 0	2 4 0	2 2 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	...	2 14 0	Serajgunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 2 0	2 1 0	2 6 0	0 8 0	0 7 0	0 6 6	3 1 6	3 2 0	3 4 0	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 2 0	Naraingunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 6 0	2 6 0	3 0 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 5 3	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1 12 0	1 11 6	1 4 3	1 12 0	1 9 6	1 8 6	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 0 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 12 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 4	3 7 0	3 8 0	4 6 0	Balasore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 12 0	Pooree.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 10 0	1 10 0	2 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	Cuttack.

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Submitted to the Govt of India Dept of Finance and Commerce Statistical Branch Calcutta.

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By order

Financial Dept.
Statistics
dt 7th August 84

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD AND SALT IN THE MARTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 15TH AUGUST 1884.

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Fire-wood, and Salt in

PRICES PER MAUND

Number	MARTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO BAJRA.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P	R. A P.	R. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 12 0	1 7 6	1 14 0	2 1 0	4 14 0	4 8 0	3 12 0	3 9 0	3 8 0	2 8 0	3 0 0	2 10 0	2 0 0
2	Serajgunge ...	2 4 0	2 10 0	1 12 0	...	...	...	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 8 0	2 7 0	2 8 0	2 0 0	...	...	...
3	Dacca ...	2 6 0	2 6 0	3 1 0	1 8 6	1 8 6	1 12 0	3 1 0	3 1 0	2 4 0	2 7 0	2 7 0	1 12 0	...	...	...
4	Naraingunge	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 8 0	2 6 0	2 0 0	2 6 0	2 5 0	1 14 0	...	...	...
5	Chittagong* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6	Patna ...	1 14 6	1 14 6	2 0 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 8 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 11 0	2 13 9	2 13 9	2 8 0	...	...	...
7	Balasore ...	2 2 0	2 4 0	2 8 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 3 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 1 0	...	...	...
8	Pooree* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Cuttack ...	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 14 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	1 10 0	...	...	...

* Return not received.

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 15th August 1884.

OF 40 SEERS.

GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM JOWAR.			LESSER MILLET—RAGI OR MURWA AND CHEENA.			MAIZE OR INDIAN-CORN.			GRAM.			FIREWOOD.			SALT.			MARTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	
3 0 0	...	1 14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 12 0	1 14 0	2 4 0	0 5 9	0 5 9	0 6 3	...	...	3 0 0	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 4 0	...	...	0 6 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	Serajgunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 2 0	2 2 0	2 6 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 6 0	3 1 6	3 1 6	3 4 0	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 2 0	Naraingunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chittagong.*
...	...	...	...	...	...	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 4 3	1 14 6	1 12 0	1 10 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 1 6	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 8 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 4 0	3 7 0	3 7 0	4 2 0	Balasore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Poorse.*
...	...	...	2 5 0	1 14 0	2 0 0	...	...	...	1 11 0	1 10 0	2 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	2 13 0	2 13 0	2 12 0	Cuttack.

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Financial Dept
Statistics
Calcutta the 21st August 1884

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD AND SALT IN THE MARTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 15TH AUGUST 1884.

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Fire-wood, and Salt in

PRICES PER MAUND

Number.	MARTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO BAJRA.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 12 0	1 7 6	1 14 0	2 1 0	4 14 0	4 8 0	3 12 0	3 9 0	3 8 0	2 8 0	3 0 0	2 10 0	2 0 0
2	Serajgunge ...	2 4 0	2 10 0	1 12 0	...	...	...	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 8 0	2 7 0	2 8 0	2 0 0	...	...	...
3	Dacca ...	2 6 0	2 6 0	3 1 0	1 8 6	1 8 6	1 12 0	3 1 0	3 1 0	2 4 0	2 7 0	2 7 0	1 12 0	...	...	...
4	Naraingunge	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 8 0	2 6 0	2 0 0	2 6 0	2 5 0	1 14 0	...	...	...
5	Chittagong ...	2 14 0	...	4 12 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 12 0	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 2 0	...	...	...
6	Patna ...	1 14 6	1 14 6	2 0 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 8 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 11 0	2 13 9	2 13 9	2 8 0	...	...	...
7	Balasore ...	2 2 0	2 4 0	2 8 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 3 0	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 1 0	...	...	...
8	Pooree ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 6 0	2 2 0	2 2 0	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Cuttack ...	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 14 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	1 10 0	...	...	...

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 15*th August* 1884.

OF 40 SERS.

Great Millet—Cholum Jowar			Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt			Marts.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	
3 0 0	...	1 14 0	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 13 0	1 14 0	2 4 0	0 5 9	0 5 9	0 6 3	...	...	3 0 0	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 4 0	...	...	0 6 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	Serajgunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 2 0	2 2 0	2 6 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 6 0	3 1 6	3 1 6	3 4 0	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 2 0	Naraingunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 8 0	2 6 6	3. 0 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 5 3	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 4 3	1 14 6	1 12 0	1 10 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 1 6	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 8 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 4 0	3 7 0	3 7 0	4 2 0	Balasore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 12 0	Pooree.
...	...	...	2 5 0	1 14 0	2 0 0	...	...	...	1 11 0	1 10 0	2 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	Cuttack.

Ans: 28/8

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Statistical Branch. Calcutta. in continuation of
endt no 1530 of the 21st August 84

Financial Dept
Statistics
Calcutta the 28th August 84

By order
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WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD AND SALT IN THE MARTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 31ST AUGUST 1884.

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in

PRICES PER MAUND

Number.	MARTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO BAJRA.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 10 0	1 8 0	1 7 6	1 15 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	3 12 0	3 11 0	3 9 0	2 8 0	3 8 0	3 0 0	1 14 0
2	Serajgunge ...	1 15 0	2 4 0	1 12 0	...	...	...	4 6 0	3 12 0	3 10 0	2 6 0	2 7 0	2 1 0	...	...	...
3	Dacca ...	2 6 0	2 6 0	3 0 0	1 8 6	1 8 6	1 12 0	3 0 0	3 1 0	2 4 0	2 7 0	2 7 0	2 0 0	...	...	...
4	Narsingunge	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 12 0	2 8 0	2 0 0	2 8 0	2 6 0	1 14 0	...	...	...
5	Chittagong ...	2 12 0	2 14 0	3 8 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 8 0	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 2 0	...	...	...
6	Patna ...	1 14 6	1 14 6	1 14 6	1 12 0	1 13 0	1 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 10 0	2 13 9	2 13 9	2 9 0	...	...	...
7	Balasore ...	2 2 0	2 2 0	2 8 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 7 0	1 14 0	1 13 0	1 4 0	...	...	...
8	Pooree ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 1 0	2 6 0	2 3 0	...	...	...
9	Cuttack ...	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 14 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	1 10 0	...	...	...

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 31st August 1884.

OF 40 SEERS.

GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM JOWAR.			LESSER MILLET—RAGI OR MURWA AND CHENNA.			MAIZE OR INDIAN-CORN.			GRAM.			FIREWOOD.			SALT			MARTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	
3 9 0	3 0 0	1 13 0	...	...	...	1 14 0	...	1 14 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	2 6 0	0 5 9	0 5 9	0 6 3	2 11 3	...	2 12 0	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 8 0	2 6 0	2 3 0	...	...	...	...	3 0 0	2 11 0	Serajgunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 2 0	2 2 0	2 3 0	0 7 0	0 8 0	0 7 0	3 0 0	3 1 6	3 4 0	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 0 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 2 0	Naraingunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 12 0	2 8 0	3 0 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 5 3	4 12 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1 7 6	1 12 0	1 7 6	1 13 0	1 14 6	...	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 1 6	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 7 0	2 10 0	2 8 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 4 0	3 6 0	3 7 0	4 2 0	Balasore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 7 0	2 6 0	2 12 0	Pooree.
...	...	...	2 5 0	2 5 0	2 5 0	...	...	...	1 11 0	1 11 0	2 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	2 12 0	2 13 0	2 12 0	Cuttack.

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Statistical Branch, Calcutta,

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By order &c

Financial Dept.
Statistics
Calcutta the 11th Sept 84

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD AND SALT IN THE MARTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING THE 15TH SEPTEMBER 1884.

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in

PRICES PER MAUND

Number.	MARTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO BAJRA.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 11 0	1 8 0	1 8 0	1 15 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	3 12 0	3 11 0	3 11 0	2 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	1 14 0
2	Serajgunge ...	2 4 0	1 15 0	1 13 0	...	...	...	4 10 0	4 8 0	3 12 0	3 6 0	...	2 2 0	...	...	...
3	Dacca ...	2 8 0	2 6 0	3 0 0	1 8 6	1 8 6	1 12 0	3 8 0	3 0 0	2 4 0	2 12 0	2 7 0	2 0 0	...	...	...
4	Naraingunge	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 0 0	2 10 0	2 8 0	1 14 0	...	...	...
5	Chittâgong ...	2 8 0	2 12 0	3 8 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 8 0	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 2 0	...	...	...
6	Patna ...	1 13 0	1 14 6	1 14 6	1 8 0	1 12 0	1 6 6	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 10 0	2 14 0	2 13 9	2 3 0	...	...	...
7	Balasore ...	2 2 0	2 2 0	2 8 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 3 0	1 15 0	1 14 0	1 6 0	...	...	...
8	Pooree ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 3 0	2 1 0	2 3 0	...	...	...
9	Cuttack ...	2 0 0	2 0 0	3 4 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	1 11 0	...	...	...

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 15th September 1884.

OF 40 sEERS.

Great Millet—Cholum Jowar.			Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			MARTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	
3 0 0	3 0 0	1 15 0	...	...	...	1 12 0	1 14 0	1 13 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	2 2 0	0 5 9	0 5 9	0 6 3	2 11 6	2 11 3	2 12 0	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 10 0	2 8 0	2 6 0	...	...	0 6 0	2 15 0	...	3 0 0	Serajgunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 8 0	2 9 0	2 4 0	0 6 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 4 0	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 12 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 14 0	Naraingunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 12 0	2 12 0	3 0 0	...	0 4 0	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 0 0	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1 4 0	1 7 6	1 4 0	1 9 6	1 13 0	1 7 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 0 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 7 0	2 7 0	2 8 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 4 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	4 2 0	Balasore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 7 0	2 12 0	Poorse.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 11 0	1 11 0	2 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	Cuttack.

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Financial Dept
Statistics
Calcutta the 24th Sept 1884

24/9 By order

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD AND SALT IN THE MARTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING THE 30TH SEPTEMBER 1884

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in

PRICES PER MAUND

Number	MARTS.	WHEAT			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO BAJRA.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		R. A P	R. A P.	R. A P	R. A. P.	R. A. P	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A P	R. A P	R. A P	R. A. P.	R.A.P.	R.A.P.	R.A.P.
1	Calcutta .	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 10 0	1 9 6	1 8 0	2 0 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	3 8 0	3 12 0	3 11 0	2 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	1 14 0
2	Serajgunge .	2 4 0	2 4 0	1 14 0	...	...	...	4 13 0	4 10 0	4 0 0	3 9 0	3 6 0	2 4 0	...	...	...
3	Dacca ...	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 14 0	1 4 6	1 8 6	2 0 0	4 0 0	3 8 0	2 8 0	3 6 0	2 12 0	2 4 0	...	...	...
4	Naraingunge	...	...	...	...	..	..	3 2 0	2 12 0	2 2 0	2 13 0	2 10 0	2 0 0	...	...	...
5	Chittagong ...	2 8 0	2 8 0	3 8 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 8 0	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 4 0	...	...	...
6	Patna	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 14 6	1 8 0	1 8 0	1 6 6	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 10 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 3 0	...	...	...
7	Balasore .	2 2 0	2 2 0	2 8 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 3 0	2 0 0	1 15 0	1 4 0	...	...	...
8	Pooree ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 2 0	2 8 0	2 3 0	...	...	...
9	Cuttack ..	2 0 0	2 0 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	1 11 0	...	...	...

CALCUTTA,
The 7th October 1884.

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 30th September 1884.

OF 40 SERS.

GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM JOWAR			LESSER MILLET—RAGI OR MURWA AND CHEENA.			MAIZE OR INDIAN-CORN.			GRAM.			FIREWOOD.			SALT.			MARTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	
3 9 0	3 9 0	1 15 0	...	...	...	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 8 0	2 1 0	1 12 0	2 0 0	0 5 9	0 5 9	0 6 3	2 12 0	2 11 6	2 12 0	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 10 0	2 10 0	2 6 0	...	...	...	2 15 0	2 15 0	2 14 0	Serajgunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 6 0	2 8 0	2 2 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 8 0	2 12 0	2 0 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 14 0	Naraingunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 0 0	2 12 0	3 0 0	0 5 3	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 0 0	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1 4 0	1 4 0	1 4 0	1 9 6	1 9 6	1 7 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 1 6	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 0 0	2 7 0	2 8 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 4 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	4 2 0	Balasore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 7 0	...	2 12 0	Pooree.
...	...	...	2 5 0	2 5 0	2 5 0	...	...	...	1 11 0	1 11 0	2 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	Cuttack.

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Statistical Branch. Calcutta

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Financial Dept.
Statistics
Calcutta the 9th Oct/84

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD AND SALT IN THE MARTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING THE 15TH OCTOBER 1884

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in

PRICES PER MAUND

Number.	MARTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO BAJRA.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 8 0	1 14 0	1 9 6	1 15 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	3 5 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	2 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	1 13 0
2	Serajgunge ...	2 6 0	2 4 0	2 2 0	...	...	...	4 13 0	4 13 0	4 0 0	3 7 0	3 9 0	2 8 0	...	...	...
3	Dacca ...	2 4 0	2 8 0	2 14 0	2 0 0	1 4 6	2 4 0	3 11 0	4 0 0	2 10 0	3 0 0	3 6 0	2 5 0	...	...	...
4	Naraingunge	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 15 6	3 2 0	2 4 0	2 10 9	2 13 0	2 2 0	...	...	...
5	Chittagong ...	2 8 0	2 8 0	3 8 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 12 0	2 4 0	2 6 0	2 6 0	...	...	...
6	Patna ...	1 13 0	1 13 0	1 14 6	1 8 0	1 8 0	1 6 6	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 10 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 3 0	...	...	...
7	Balasore ...	2 2 0	2 2 0	2 8 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	...	2 14 0	3 0 0	3 5 6½	1 10 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	...	...	...
8	Pooree ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 0 0	2 2 0	2 0 0	...	...	...
9	Cuttack ...	1 14 0	2 0 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 2 0	2 0 0	1 11 0	...	...	...

CALCUTTA,
The 21st October 1864.

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 15*th October* 1884.

OF 40 SEERS.

Great Millet—Cholum Jowar.			Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt			MARTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	
3 9 0	3 9 0	1 14 0	...	...	...	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 8 0	2 1 0	2 1 0	2 0 0	0 5 9	0 5 9	0 6 3	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 9 0	2 10 0	2 7 0	...	...	0 6 0	3 0 0	2 15 0	3 14 0	Serajgunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 4 0	2 6 0	2 1 0	0 6 0	0 6 0	0 7 0	3 1 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 6 6	2 8 0	2 0 0	0 8 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 14 0	Naraingunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 8 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	...	0 5 3	...	3-8-	6--	4 4 0	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1 4 0	1 4 0	1 4 0	1 9 6	1 9 6	1 7 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 1 6	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 14 0	3 0 0	2 8 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 4 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	4 2 0	Balasore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 7 0	2 7 0	2 12 0	Pooree.
...	...	...	2 5 0	2 5 0	2 0 0	...	...	...	1 10 0	1 11 0	2 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	Cuttack.

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Statistical Branch. Calcutta,

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Statistics
Calcutta 23rd Oct/84

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD AND SALT IN THE MARTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING THE 31st OCTOBER 1884

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in

PRICES PER MAUND

Number	MARTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO BAJRA.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 9 0	2 0 0	1 14 0	1 15 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	3 8 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	2 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	1 14 0
2	Serajgunge ...	2 8 0	2 6 0	2 4 0	...	...	...	4 4 0	4 13 0	3 12 0	3 3 0	3 7 0	2 9 6	...	...	...
3	Dacca ...	2 3 6	2 4 0	2 12 0	1 15 6	2 0 0	2 4 0	3 10 0	3 11 0	3 8 0	3 0 6	3 0 0	2 4 0	...	...	...
4	Naraingunge	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 2 0	2 15 6	...	2 13 6	2 10 9	...	...	...	...
5	Chittagong* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6	Patna ...	1 13 0	1 13 0	2 0 0	1 8 0	1 8 0	1 4 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 1 3	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 8 0	...	...	...
7	Balasore ...	2 0 0	2 2 0	2 8 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	...	2 4 0	2 14 0	3 5 6½	1 4 0	1 10 0	2 0 0	...	...	...
8	Pooree* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9	Cuttack ...	1 14 0	1 14 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 2 0	2 2 0	1 11 0	...	...	...

* Returns not

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 31*st October* 1884.

OF 40 SEERS.

Great Millet—Cholum Jowar			Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt			Marts.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	
3 9 0	3 9 0	1 15 0	...	...	...	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 9 0	2 1 0	2 1 0	2 2 0	0 5 9	0 5 9	0 6 3	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 9 0	2 9 0	2 6 0	...	...	0 6 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	Serajgunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 0 0	0 7 0	0 6 0	0 7 0	3 0 0	3 1 0	3 2 0	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 4 0	2 6 6	.	0 8 0	0 8 0	..	2 14 0	3 0 0	...	Naraingunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1 4 0	1 4 0	1 4 0	1 9 6	1 9 6	1 7 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 0 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 6 0	2 14 0	2 8 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 4 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	4 2 0	Balasore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Pooree.
...	...	...	2 5 0	2 5 0	2 0 0	...	...	...	1 10 0	1 10 0	2 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	Cuttack.

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WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD, AND SALT IN THE MARTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING 31ST OCTOBER 1884.

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in

PRICES PER MAUND

Number	MARTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO BAJRA.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 9 0	2 0 0	1 14 0	1 15 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	3 8 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	2 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	1 14 0
2	Serajgunge ...	2 8 0	2 6 0	2 4 0	...	...	...	4 4 0	4 13 0	3 12 0	3 3 0	3 7 0	2 9 6	...	...	...
3	Dacca ...	2 3 6	2 4 0	2 12 0	1 15 6	2 0 0	2 4 0	3 10 0	3 11 0	2 8 0	3 0 6	3 0 0	2 4 0	...	...	...
4	Naraingunge	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 2 0	2 15 6	...	2 12 6	2 10 9	...	...	...	...
5	Chittagong ...	2 8 0	2 8 0	3 8 0	...	...	...	3 4 0	3 0 0	2 12 0	2 6 0	2 4 0	1 12 0	...	...	...
6	Patna ...	1 13 0	1 13 0	2 0 0	1 8 0	1 8 0	1 4 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 1 3	2 14 0	2 14 0	2 8 0	...	...	...
7	Balasore ...	2 0 0	2 2 0	2 8 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	...	2 4 0	2 14 0	3 5 6½	1 4 0	1 10 0	2 0 0	...	...	...
8	Pooree ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 4 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	...	...	...
9	Cuttack ...	1 14 0	1 14 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 2 0	2 2 0	1 11 0	...	...	...

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending 31*st October* 1884.

OF 40 SEERS.

Great Millet—Cholum Jowar			Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt			MARTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	
3 9 0	3 9 0	1 15 0	...	...	...	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 9 0	2 1 0	2 1 0	2 2 0	0 5 9	0 5 9	0 6 3	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 9 0	2 9 0	2 6 0	...	...	0 6 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	Serajgunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 0 0	0 7 0	0 6 0	0 7 0	3 0 0	3 1 0	3 2 0	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 4 0	2 6 6	...	0 8 0	0 8 0	...	2 14 0	3 0 0	...	Naraingunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 8 0	3 8 0	2 4 0	0 4 0	...	...	...	...	3 4 0	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1 4 0	1 4 0	1 4 0	1 9 6	1 9 6	1 7 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 0 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 6 0	2 14 0	2 8 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 4 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	4 2 0	Balasore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 7 0	2 7 0	2 12 0	Pooree.
...	...	...	2 5 0	2 5 0	2 0 0	...	...	...	1 10 0	1 10 0	2 0 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	Cuttack.

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Statistics
Calcutta 6th Nov/84

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD AND SALT IN THE MARTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING THE 15TH NOVEMBER 1884.

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in

PRICES PER MAUND

Number.	MARTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO BAJRA.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 14 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	4 14 0	4 14 0	4 8 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	2 12 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	1 15 0
2	Serajgunge ...	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 4 0	...	...	...	4 2 0	4 4 0	4 0 0	3 2 0	3 3 0	2 9 0	...	...	...
3	Dacca ...	2 4 0	2 3 6	2 8 0	...	1 15 6	2 8 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	2 12 0	3 0 0	3 0 6	2 8 0	...	...	...
4	Naraingunge	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 3 3	3 2 0	2 12 0	2 15 0	2 13 6	2 2 0	...	...	...
5	Chittagong ...	2 8 0	2 8 0	3 2 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 4 0	2 12 0	2 6 0	2 6 0	1 12 0	...	...	...
6	Patna ...	1 14 0	1 13 0	2 0 0	1 10 0	1 8 0	1 6 6	3 5 0	3 0 0	3 1 3	2 8 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	...	...	...
7	Balasore ...	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 8 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	...	3 0 0	2 4 0	3 5 6½	1 12 0	1 4 0	2 0 0	...	...	...
	Pooree ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 7 6	2 4 0	2 0 0	...	...	...
9	Cuttack ...	1 11 0	1 14 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 2 0	2 2 0	1 11 0	...	...	...

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 15th November 1884.

OF 40 SEERS.

Great Millet—Cholum Jowar			Lesser Millet—Ragi or Murwa and Cheena.			Maize or Indian-corn.			Gram.			Firewood.			Salt.			MARTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	
3 9 0	3 9 0	1 15 0	...	...	...	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	2 1 0	2 1 0	2 12 0	0 5 9	0 5 9	0 6 3	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 9 0	2 9 0	2 8 0	...	...	...	3 1 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	Serajgunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 2 0	0 8 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 4 0	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 9 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 7 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	3 2 0	Naraingunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 8 0	3 8 0	2 4 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 0 3	3 8 0	...	3 0 0	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1 4 0	1 4 0	1 4 0	1 13 0	1 9 6	1 9 6	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	3 0 0	3 2 0	3 0 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 8 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 4 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	4 2 0	Balasore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 7 0	2 7 0	2 12 0	Pooree.
...	...	...	2 5 0	2 5 0	2 5 0	...	...	...	1 10 0	1 10 0	1 11 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	Cuttack.

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Statistical Branch, Calcutta,

By order.

Financial Dept.
Statistics
Calcutta the 27th Nov/84

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD AND SALT IN THE MARTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING THE 30TH NOVEMBER 1884.

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in

PRICES PER MAUND

Number.	MARTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO BAJRA.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	2 4 0	2 4 0	3 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 2 0	5 0 0	4 14 0	5 8 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	2 12 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	2 0 0
2	Serajgunge ...	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 2 0	4 4 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	3 1 0	...	...	...
3	Dacca ...	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 10 0	2 8 0	...	2 10 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	3 0 0	2 6 0	...	...	...
4	Naraingunge	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 13 0	3 3 3	2 12 0	2 10 0	2 15 0	2 4 0	...	...	...
5	Chittagong ...	2 8 0	2 8 0	3 8 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 14 0	2 6 0	2 6 0	2 0 0	...	...	...
6	Patna ...	1 9 6	1 14 0	2 0 0	1 3 0	1 10 0	1 6 6	3 5 0	3 5 0	3 1 3	2 2 0	2 8 0	2 14 0	...	...	...
7	Balasore ...	2 8 0	2 0 0	2 8 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 2 0	1 10 0	1 12 0	1 10 0	...	...	...
8	Pooree ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 0 0	2 7 6	2 0 0	...	...	...
9	Cuttack ...	1 11 0	1 11 0	2 10 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 0 0	2 2 0	1 11 0	...	...	...

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 30th November 1884.

OF 40 SERS.

GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM JOWAR			LESSER MILLET—RAGI OR MURWA AND CHEENA.			MAIZE OR INDIAN-CORN.			GRAM.			FIREWOOD.			SALT.			MARTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	
3 9 0	3 9 0	1 15 0	...	...	...	1 12 0	1 12 0	1 14 0	2 1 0	2 1 0	2 14 0	0 5 9	0 5 9	0 6 3	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 10 0	2 9 0	2 8 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 1 0	3 0 0	Serajgunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 2 0	0 7 0	0 8 0	0 7 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 1 0	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 4 0	2 4 0	2 2 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 7 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	3 2 0	Naraingunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 0 0	2 8 0	2 14 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	...	2 14 0	3 8 0	3 4 0	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1 3 0	1 4 0	1 4 0	1 5 6	1 13 0	1 9 6	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 8 0	2 6 0	2 8 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 3 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	4 0 0	Balasore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 8 0	2 7 0	2 12 0	Poorea.
...	...	...	2 5 0	2 5 0	2 5 0	...	...	...	1 9 0	1 10 0	1 11 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	Cuttack.

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Financial Deptt Statistics
Calcutta the 11 Decbr/84

By order of the Lieutenant-Governor of Beng

Offg Under Secretary to the Govt of Benga

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD AND SALT IN THE MARTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING THE 15TH DECEMBER 1884.

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in

PRICES PER MAUND

Number.	MARTS.	WHEAT.			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO BAJRA.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	2 6 0	2 4 0	3 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 2 0	4 12 0	5 0 0	5 8 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 8 0	1 15 0
2	Serajgunge ...	2 7 0	2 8 0	2 7 0	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	4 0 0	2 12 0	3 2 0	3 4 0	...	...	...
3	Dacca ...	2 12 0	2 4 0	2 12 0	1 13 0	2 8 0	2 10 0	2 10 6	3 10 0	3 5 0	2 8 0	2 12 0	2 14 0	...	...	...
4	Naraingunge	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 11 6	2 13 0	2 9 0	2 6 3	2 10 0	2 7 0	...	...	...
5	Chittagong ...	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	...	...	...	2 12 0	3 0 0	2 12 0	2 2 0	2 6 0	2 0 0	...	...	...
6	Patna ...	1 11 0	1 9 6	2 0 0	1 3 0	1 3 0	1 6 6	3 5 0	3 5 0	3 1 3	1 13 0	2 2 0	2 14 0	...	...	...
7	Balasore ...	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 4 0	1 13 0	1 10 0	1 10 0	...	...	...
8	Pooree ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 4 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	...	...	...
9	Cuttack ...	1 11 0	1 11 0	3 0 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	...	...	...

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 15th December 1884.

OF 40 SEERS.

GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM JOWAR			LESSER MILLET—RAGI OR MURWA AND CHENNA.			MAIZE OR INDIAN-CORN.			GRAM.			*FIREWOOD.			SALT.			MARTS.
Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	
3 9 0	3 9 0	1 15 0	...	...	...	1 10 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	2 1 0	2 1 0	2 12 0	0 5 9	0 5 9	0 6 6	3 0 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 10 0	2 10 0	3 6 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	Serajgunge
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 5 6	2 4 0	2 4 0	0 5 3	0 7 0	0 7 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 2 0	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 7 0	2 4 0	2 4 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 7 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	3 0 0	Naraingun
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 12 0	3 0 0	2 14 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 5 3	2 14 0	2 14 0	3 4 0	Chittagong
...	...	...	...	...	...	1 3 0	1 3 0	1 4 0	1 6 0	1 5 6	1 9 6	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 8 0	2 8 0	3 0 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 3 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 14 0	Balasore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 7 0	3 8 0	2 12 0	Pooree.
...	...	...	2 0	2 5 0	2 5 0	...	...	...	1 11 0	1 9 0	2 5 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	Cuttack.

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Statistics
Calcutta the 24th Dec 84

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT OF FOOD-GRAINS, FIREWOOD AND SALT IN THE MARTS OF BENGAL FOR THE FORTNIGHT ENDING THE 31ST DECEMBER 1884.

WHOLESALE PRICES-CURRENT of Food-grains, Firewood, and Salt in

PRICES PER MAUND

Number	MARTS.	WHEAT			BARLEY.			RICE, BEST SORT.			RICE, COMMON.			BULRUSH MILLET—CUMBOO BAJRA.		
		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
		R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.
1	Calcutta ...	2 5 0	2 6 0	2 14 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	4 12 0	4 12 0	5 8 0	3 8 0	3 12 0	3 0 0	2 8 0	3 0 0	1 15 0
2	Serajgunge ..	2 7 0	2 7 0	2 6 0	...	...	...	4 12 0	4 12 0	3 12 0	2 7 0	2 12 0	3 0 0	...	...	...
3	Dacca ...	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 8 0	1 8 0	1 13 0	2 8 0	2 6 0	2 10 6	3 4 0	2 3 0	2 8 0	2 12 0	...	...	...
4	Naraingunge	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 12 0	2 11 6	2 6 0	2 8 0	2 6 3	2 4 0	...	...	...
5	Chittagong ...	2 8 0	2 8 0	3 8 0	...	...	...	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 14 0	2 3 0	2 2 0	2 6 0	...	...	...
6	Patna ...	1 11 0	1 11 0	1 14 6	1 3 0	1 3 0	1 14 6	3 5 0	3 5 0	3 1 3	1 13 0	1 13 0	2 8 0	...	...	...
7	Balasore ...	2 8 0	2 8 0	2 8 0	3 2 0	3 2 0	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 12 0	1 10 0	1 12 0	1 12 0	...	...	...
8	Pooree ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 0 0	2 4 0	1 12 0	...	...	...
9	Cuttack ...	1 10 0	1 11 0	2 10 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	1 11 0	...	...	...

the undermentioned Marts of Bengal for the Fortnight ending the 31*st December* 1884.

OF 40 SEERS.

GREAT MILLET—CHOLUM JOWAR			LESSER MILLET—RAGI OR MURWA AND CHEENA.			MAIZE OR INDIAN-CORN.			GRAM.			FIREWOOD.			SALT.			MARTS.
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R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P	R. A. P	R. A. P	
3 9 0	3 9 0	1 15 0	...	...	...	1 12 0	1 10 0	1 12 0	2 1 0	2 1 0	2 12 0	0 5 9	0 5 9	0 6 3	2 12 0	3 0 0	2 12 0	Calcutta.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 8 0	2 10 0	2 7 0	...	...	...	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	Serajgunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 4 0	2 5 6	2 4 0	0 8 0	0 5 3	0 6 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 2 0	Dacca.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 4 0	2 7 0	2 5 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 7 0	2 14 0	2 14 0	3 0 0	Naraingunge.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 12 0	2 12 0	2 14 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	0 5 3	2 12 0	2 14 0	3 4 0	Chittagong.
...	...	...	...	...	...	1 3 0	1 3 0	1 9 6	1 6 0	1 6 0	1 10 9	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 1 0	Patna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 8 0	2 8 0	3 0 0	0 5 0	0 5 0	0 3 0	3 6 0	3 6 0	3 14 0	Balasore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 7 0	2 7 0	2 12 0	Pooree.
...	...	...	2 2 0	2 2 0	2 5 0	...	...	...	1 11 0	1 11 0	1 11 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	2 12 0	2 12 0	3 12 0	Cuttack.

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